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BRIDGE POOL



MAJ. C. C. RAINWATER.

ture. If indictments are returned against any of the men who engineered the com-bine it will mean that they will be prosecuted in the Federal Courts for a felonious

ident of the Merchants' Bridge and Terminal Co.; John Scullin, President of the Wiggins Ferry Co., and Dr. William Taussig, President of the Terminal Railroad Association, have not been subpoened is significant. It may be taken to mean that they are the parties to be investigated, although the authorities about the Federal building are as dumb as oysters concerning the whole matter. The fact that Maj. C. C. Rainwater, Pres-

It is understood on the best authority tha United States Attorney General Judsos F Harmon has instructed District Attorne Diopton to report to him if it is found that



prima facie case of pooling can be made against the bridge companies, and the Secretary of War will take possession of the Merchants' bridge in the name of and for the United States government.

The law under which this important step can be taken was passed by the Fiftieth Congress, when the Merchants' bridge charter was being prayed for before that body. @It contains a clause which says it shall be the duty of the Secretary of War to take possession of the property without recourse to legal proceedings. The section of the law is as follows:

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Federal Grand-Jury Will Tackle the Local Octopus.

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As a Result the Secretary of War May Take Possession of the Merchants' Bridge.

The United States Grand-jury is investigating the St. Louis bridge combine.

Subpoenas have been served on a number of business men and employes of the bridge trust, citing them to appear and testify in the matter. The inquisition will be taken up to-morrow, and it is possible that indictments will be returned against the prime conspirators in the trust before the end of the week.

United States District Attorney Clopton is not in a position to discuss the matter and refuses to say what will be done. The investigation, it is thought, will cover the pooling agreement between the Merchants' bridge, Wiggins Ferry and Eads bridge companies, as well as the absorption of the Merchants' bridge and its terminals to the Terminal Rallroad Association.

States that ther of access against the combine as been followed until now it seems to be fairly within the reach of the law. Early last spring Senator James Campbell of Illinois introduced a resolution in the Senate of that state calling for an investigating for an investigation in the Senate Compiled on the commerce of Southern Illinois and the City of St. Louis The resolution was adopted and a committee appointed to investigating committee. Campbell was made Chairman and Senators Gampbell was made Chairman and Senators

be heard to-morrow.

After the Illinois Senate adopted the report of the investigating committee the Post-Dispatch asked United States District Atforney Clopton whether he would prosecute the combine on the evidence furnished the investigating committee by the Post-Dispatch. Mr. Clopton specifically stated in an interview at that time that while the law empowered him to do so, he would not take up the case unless instructed to do so by United States Attorney-General Olney. As Mr. Olney's position on the anti-trust laws was well known it was thought no attention would be paid to the matter. The provides of the paid to the matter. The provides of the paid to the matter. The provides of the government to-ward the combine.

About the same time Wm. R. Morrison, Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, visited St. Louis. His attention was called by the Post-Dispatch to the fact that the interstate commerce law had been violated by the combine. He promised to bring the matter before the Interstate Commerce Commission and the action of that body may have had a direct bearing in bringing the case to its present status. Section 5 of the interstate commerce law rads as fellows: "That it shall be unlawful for any common

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"That it shall be unlawful for any common carrier subject to the provisions of this act to enter into any contract, agreement, or combination with any other common carrier or carriers for the pooling of freights of different and competing railroads, or to divide between them the aggregate or net proceeds of the earnings of such railroads, or any portion thereof; and in any case of an agreement for the pooling of freights an agreement for the pooling of freights.

penalty attached ander which criminal proceedings can be instituted.

Among the witnesses cited to appear before the Grand Jury to-morrow are Joseph Rangey, general manager of the Terminal Rafroad association; J. L. Penny, commercial activity agent, and F. X. Roederer, general reight agent, W. S. Hodges and others.

After the combine came an absolute consolidation of the two bridges at a meeting held in J. Pierpont Morgan's office in New York, July 1, 1893. An assurance was given at the time that the joint operation would be of great benefit to St. Louis' commercial interests. It was argued by those interested in the amalgamation that the new deal would lead to an immense saving of time and that time was money. It was generally known among shippers, however, that this was but another step to get them more tally in the power of the combine.

All that is necessary to bring about indictinests is to introduce sworn salimony bearing our the evidences of pool published by the Post-Dispatch, and there is no legitimate way in which the indictments can fail to be brought. Few witnesses will be required, and not a great amount of testimony will be taken.

An all important feature of the case is what United States District Attorney Clopton will require to constitute prima facte evidence of a combine. If he acepts the testimony to be introduced to-morrow to make such a case, and there is no delay at Washington, the Secretary of War may seize the Merchants' bridge before another week. The bridge will then be held by the Government pending the trial of the case and proof of pooling will make the Merchants' bridge the absolute property of the United States without any legal fight or recourse whatever on the part of its owners.

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statute. Attorney General Maloney of Illi-nois is satisfied that the evidence he has against the combine is sufficient to cause the government to act in the matter and the first steps looking to the seizure of the bridge have been taken. It remains to place the evidence before the courts and to satisfy the Attorney General of the United States that there is prima facie evidence of a combine and the government will take possession.

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bridge, Wiggins Ferry and Eads bridge companies, as well as the absorption of the Merchants' bridge and its terminals to the Terminal Railroad Association.

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instituted.

NOW HE KNOWS

Bert Butler Scrapes Acquaintance With a Live Wire.

DISASTROUS BOYISH PRANK.

He Climbed a Telegraph Pole and Touched a Live Wire With the Result That He Is Badly Shaken Up.

After an 11-year-old boy has been shot n the leg and shot in the forehead and still yes to make other people miserable it's nder he gets a little brash. This has Bert Butler's experience. Now he has shocked by an electric wire, with chances in favor of his recovery.

When he gets well, his neighborhood is not going to be the quietest place in St.

Louis, not by a long shot.

Bert is the sort of a boy who grinned down from the theatrical bill boards last week, with his hair flaming red and on end,

e covered with green freckles and



BERT BUTLER. two of his front teeth missing. The printed line beneath the lithograph, "What's the Good of Anything? Nothing." might have been a bit from one of Bert's characteristic

Good of Anything. Nothing. Imgit have been a bit from one of Bert's characteristic conversations.

Monday this representative of young America had an experience somewhat more startling than usual, even for him. He came very near going to join the angels by the electric route and he is temporarily subdued with a badly burned right hand and a dislocated shoulder.

Bert is the son of Charles D. Butler of 2121 Pine street. Monday evening about 6 o'clock he was playing with a companion of about the same age, Leo McKowen, in his back yard. Having accomplished all the deviltry their young brains could imagine, they were at a loss what further to do. The big Thomas cat whose life had been seriously in danger, had safely made his escape and time was hanging heavily.

Some inspiration chased the youngsters onto the coal shed, back of the Butlers' house. Having climbed up here, they discovered that the telegraph pole in the alley was sufficiently near to be reached. They also noticed that it had little iron hook steps at intervals all the way up to the This was a cinch, the boys thought. They

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followed; then up, up, a went until hereached the cross-bars agar the top.
Here he rested and made entertaining remarks to Lee about the beauties of the surrounding view
It did not take long for his observant eye to catch sight of a black wire, dangling down from among the others. He had read about live wires and he had the greatest curlosity in the-world to know what it would do to him if he touched it. He can now give a graphic description of the sensation. He says it feels like a whole power house turned loose inside of him and probably it does. No one has a better right to deliver an opinion on such matters.

The desire once being on him to grab that wire, he didn't stop until he had done so. He reached out with his right hand and caught hold of it. Then all the mischief went out of his game little heart and terror and pain came in, for the wire was alive and the electric fluid was pouring into the boy's body and burning the flesh on his hand.

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hand.

He screamed in agony and tried to let go of the dreadful thing, but it clung to him like a serpent. Little Leo, seeing his companion's predicament, started up the pole to help him, but Bert, finding that he could not free his hand, let go of the pole. His weight tore him loose from the wire and he fell to the ground, twenty-five feet below.

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HE WANTS 100 YEARS TIME.

Hon. C. P. Huntington Would Like to Settle With the Government. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 22.-C. P.

Huntington says the Central Pacific not be able to pay its Government debt on maturity. Therefore, if Congress will not agree to some settlement of the debt on a basis compatible with the financial ability of the Central Pacific to meet the obligation, he had no objection to the United States Government taking possession of the property. He does not seem at all perturbed at the character of the Washington dispatches of the past two days. He said:

"I have always declared that the Central Pacific will not be able to pay its Government debt at maturity. It simply cannot do it. I and my associates are willing to pay the last dollar of the debt if we are given time. We want a reduced rate of interest and an extension of the time that shall give us a breathing spell during which we can pay the debt in installments. I will not agree to do something which is impossible. I will not start out to do something I already know in advance I cannot do. It would not be just to myself, my associates or the Government.

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THE TIGER IN THE PATH.

Chairman Brady Not Yet a Member of the Jefferson Club.

MAD AS A HORNET ABOUT IT.

Was Solicited to Join, and Paid a \$5 gust for Admission.

Chairman Hugh J. Brady of the Demo cratic City Central Committee is not a ember of the Jefferson Club, the principa organization of the party in town except,

of course, the committee. And thereby hangs a tale. William Baggott, one of the leading mem bers of the Jefferson Club, started a story that Chairman Brady had been blackballed by the Jeffersonites at their meeting las Thursday evening. President Benjamin H



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"We can and will pay the debt if given time. If this request is refused, then I have no objection to the Government taking the road off our hands. Possibly some people would be found to whom the Government could sell it at its figures. That would be their business and not mine. If the Government is determined to be an implacable creditor and take the road with its first mortgage debt, I will not make any opposition.

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DON'T YOU KNOW.

hostility of personal enemies.

Chairman Brady was perceptibly nettled when the subject was mentioned to him by a Post-Dispatch representative. The reporter was under the impression when he saw Mr. Brady that he had been blackballed by the Jefferson Club. "So they've rejected me, have they?" he mused. "Then why didn't John Dun'y tell me so? I saw Dun'y yesterday evening and asked him what had been done with my application, and told him that if they had rejected me or were going to keep farings with me that I wanted them to give me back my S. I got no satisfaction out or him except that his committee hadn't been meeting regularly and that was the reason my name hadn't been acted on. I was proposed early last August by Nick Bell and John A. Lee on solicitation of a large number of members of the club."

"It came about in this way: After the delegates had been elected for the Pertie Springs convention we met at the Jefferson Club to organize. While I was there several members put at me to join. Finally an application blank was handed me. I filled it out and Bell and Lee who were sitting at the table with me, signed it. I gave \$5 to somebody, and have heard nothing of the money nor the application since."

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President Charles stated positively that Mr. Brady's name was not among those reported by the Committee on Membership last Thursday evening. "That's all I know about it," continued Mr. Charles. "I don't suppose Chairman Brady is faring any worse than other men equally as good as he who have been proposed for membership." The Jefferson Citho is preparing for the biggest "blow-out" in its history on the evening of the Ist inst. It will occur at the club-house, on Olive street, near Cardinal avenue. The occasion is the unveiling of a bronze bust of Thomas Jefferson made by Benjamin Hearney, the brilliant young sculptor who has won laurels in the salons of Paris and who is a grandson of the famous General of that name. All the big party leaders of the State have been especially invited and a great many of them have signified their intention of attending. The principal speech of the evening will be made by Senator Vest, and a rare treat is in store for the lovers of oldfashioned Democratic oratory.

USED A RUSTY KNIFE,

And Rosal Brain Has a Bad Case of Leckjaw.

Rosal Brain, colored, 22 years old, of 1119 North Tenth street, is at the City Hospital dying of lockjaw. She was brought to the hospital Monday afternoon and her jaws were so tightly

closed that the physician in charge was unable to administer food or medicine. Rosal had a large abscess upon her neck and she opened it some time ago with a rusty knife. Blood polsoning, followed by tetanus, was the result. THE WEATHER. Colder Tuesday Night and Fair on Wednesday.

The weather forecast is: For St. Louis and vicinity-Clearing Tues-iny; fair and colder Tuesday night; fair

Vednesday.
For Illinois-Fair to-night and Wednes-For Illinois—Fair to-night and Wednesday. Much colder.

For Missouri—Fair, much colder to-night.

Fair Wednesday: colder in east portion.

The low area in the North has moved eastward to the lake region, causing light snows and rains in that section. There were also a few light and scattered showers in Missouri and Kansas. Ellewhere fair weather continued.

The storm in the North is closely followed by a high pressure area with a cold wave, the temperatures having fallen from 4 to 25 degrees. East of the Mississippi River and in the South the temperatures have risen considerably.

There are indications of a storm approaching the extreme South Atlantic coast, but later reports are necessary to determine its progress.

NEWPORT SOCIETY HAS A SCANDAL,

Millionaire Van Alen Sued for Alienating a Wife's Affections.

COL COLT WANTS \$200,000. Sensational Developments in a Suit for

Divorce Filed in the Courts at

Providence, R. L. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 22.-The Colt divorce suit promises developments of ex-traordinary interest to society in Provi-dence and Newport. Papers for legal sepa-ration from her husband were filed at 5 o'clock last evening by the attorney of Mr. Samuel P. Colt, a member of the family made wealthy by the manufacture of re-volvers. At about the same time a counter suit for divorce was filed by the husband,

suit for divorce was filed by the husband, Col. Colt, and through his counsel Colt secured a writ for the arrest of James J. Van Alen of Newport. He charges Van Alen with having alienated the affections of Mrs. Colt. and the writ of arrest is in connection with a suit for \$200,000 damages. Mrs. Colt's counsel, Messrs. James M. Ripley, Richard B. Comstock and Rathbone Gardner, made a statement justifying Mrs. Colt in the course she has adopted. The statement is as follows:

"A number of prominent society people started for Jackson Fails, N. H., early in August. Col. Colt was one of the party and so was a distant relative of his, a society woman of New York, whose name is withheld. All the party, with the exception of Col. Colt, stopped at Gray's Inn. He (Col. Colt) went to another hotel, and, it is said, his attentions to this young lady became so marked that three of the party became disgusted and came home to Providence.

"As soon as they arrived they aired the

siderably about the lady and James J. Van Alen, and it is said that the evidence against the latter is conclusive, including a bundle of letters from Van Alen to Mrs. Colt, one of which was found in the latter's apartments when she was stopping at a New York hotel.

Col. Colt will, it is said, also charge upon the trial of his damage suit that on one occasion, after dining with Van Alen at the Squantum Club, Van Alen excused himsel



JAMES J. VAN ALEN.

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on the pretext that he had been called suddenly to Newport. The Colonel was called away that evening to Cape Cod. He learned that Van Alen, instead of going to Newport, had been driven to the Colt mansion at Bristol, and that he remained there.

Van Alen was a frequent visitor to the Colt homestead and is alleged to have taken Mrs. Colt buggy riding at unseemly hours. On one occasion, upon returning home, Mrs. Colt explained to her husband that she had been to visit her dressmaker.

Col Colt, it is said, will also declare that he wrote to Mr. Van Alen, at his wife's suggestion, asking him to be so kind as to keep away from Mrs. Colt and the Colt mansion, and it is further alleged that within a few hours of this Mrs. Colt and Van Alen were again in communication. Rumor has it that this is but a very small portion of the evidence that will be submitted.

The letters which will be introduced in evidence are locked up in the safety deposit vaults of a local bank. Lawyer Colwell, who is the City Solicitor of Providence, said that if Mrs. Colt brought her case into court there would be some remarkable developments, involving not only State officials, but one person who stands very high in National affairs.

THE MAN IN THE CASE,

THE MAN IN THE CASE, James J. Van Alen, the Millionaire of

The one thing, above all considerations of wealth and other distinctions, upon which Mr. Van Alen prides himself, is said to be his remarkable resemblance to the Prince of Wales. Some of his friends go so far as to style him the American Prince of Wales. He is rather tall, has a stout figure, has light brown hair, beard and mustache. He dresses quietly but elegantly, and affects English fashions. He is also an athlete and strongly encourages sport of nearly every description. He is an expert boxer, fencer and polo player, and is extremely fond of yachting.

Mr. Van Alen's father was Gen. Van Alen, an old New Yorker, who made a large fortune through real estate transactions. Mr. Van Alen is 50 years old and a widower. He was born in New York and was graduated at Oxford. He traveled abroad for a number of years. About twenty years ago he married the eldest daughter of William Astor. For a num-

oreign travels.

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Maintains a large establishment in Longition, where he receives many distinguished guests.

It was not until 1893 that Mr. Van Alen was introduced to the world outside of swell society. At that time President Cleveland nominated him as Minister to Italy. It was alleged at the time that Van Alen's contribution of \$50,000 to the Democratic national campaign fund had influenced his appointment. This the Newport society man denied emphatically, but, notwithstanding, he withdrew, and the post went to another. Ex-Secretary Whitney, it was said, had interested himself in Van Alen's behalf. In, the correspondence between President Cleveland, Mr. Whitney and Van Alen, the former Secretary of the Navy, while disclaiming any part in a preconceived bargain, defended the appointment of Van Alen on the ground that he had come to the rescue of the Democratic National Committee "when friends were scarce and funds were few."

Yan Alen declined the appointment under stress of public opinion. Since then he has devoted himself exclusively to social pleasures.

WAS ONCE A MILLIONAIRE.

a Belt Line Conducter's Reverse of Fortune.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22 .- It transpires that Jacob Henry Armbruster, the Belt Line conductor who fainted while on duty Tuesday night, and died soon afterward at the hospital, was once a millionaire and was related to an old Philadelphia family. His paternal grandfather was engaged in the printing business with Benjamin Franklin. After serving in the war, Armbruster entered upon lucky speculation, Inside of thirty days he made nearly \$1,000,-000. He bought a large rolling mill in Philadelphia and started a wholesale and retail hardware business. Shortly afterwards he married Ellen T. Potts, daughter of a wealthy Philadelphian. In 1875 Armbruster suffered financial reverses. Again he resorted to speculation, and this time he lost what little he had left. In 1830 his wife got a divorce. Two years later he married, and was soon divorced again. Last year the first Mrs. Armbruster died, and her father died shortly afterward, leaving an estate of more than \$1,000,000. A large portion of this went to Armbruster's daughter by the first marriage, who has since maintained a handsome establishment in Philadelphia, while her father worked for small wages, and finally died a street car conductor. the hospital, was once a millionaire and

FOR CARRYING CASH

A Report That the Express Companies Will Raise Rates.

Telegraphic advices from Chicago an nounce that on November 1 a decided advance will be made by the express companies in the charges for the transportation

panies in the charges for the transportation of currency.

Nothing is known at the local offices of the express companies of such an advance, but it is regarded as probable.

Supt. Simpson of the Wells-Fargo company said that the present currency rate was so low that he would not be surprised to receive a new tariff at any time.

Any advance in the carrying charges is important to the banks, as the rate of exchange between cities is entirely regulated by such charges. Thus, if the express charges between St. Louis and Chicago are 75 cents per \$1,000, the rate of exchange will be the same.

If the change in rates when in effect only applies to shipments from Chicago, St. Louis banks will be but little affected, as shipments between the two cities are comparatively light.

EX-GOV. AMES DEAD.

One of Massachusett's Wealthiest and Mest Noted Men.

ORTH EASTON, Mass., Oct. 22.-Ex-Oliver Ames died at his home here at 'clock a. m., after a long period of

d from heart disease, as 64 years old. He had become widely through his connection with large as enterprises, as well as on account long and honorable political record in tate. A widow, two sons and four ters survive.

RESULT OF CURIOSITY. fow a Constable's Wife Happened to Wear a Thief's Bracelets.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. WHITESTONE, N. Y., Oct. 22.-Mrs. Hickman, wife of Constable Hickman of this city, went about her house all day yesterday unable to do her housework or get the meals for her family, and retired last night without undressing. A few days ago Constable Hickman purchased a new and im-proved pair of handcuffs. When he left home yesterday morning he left the handcuffs in his room. Mrs. Hickman picked them up to examine them. She slipped first one and then the other over her wrists, and being desirous to learn how they worked, tightened them. She afterwards endeavored to take them off but could not, they were

locked.

She soon found that they could not be opened without a key, which her husband had in his pocket. When Mr. Hickman returned on a late train he found his wife sleeping with her hands chained together, and after an explanation, took the key out of his pocket and released her.

THE DEFICIENCY. In the First Five Months of the Fiscal

Year It Reached \$16,000,000.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 22.—Highwater mark in the deficiency for October seems to have been reached Saturday. A reduction of a million dollars was secured to-day by confining the expenditures to half a million dollars for all the wants of

half a million dollars for all the wants of the Government, including pensions and interest.

The receipts will now get a chance to over-come the choked off payments until the shortage is brought under a semblance of control again; but it is not believed the manipulators will be able to whittle it down to less than \$6,00,000.

This will make the deficiency for the first five months of the useal year \$16,000,000.

PLUNGED DOWN A RAVINE. Fatal Runaway Accident to a Party of

Boys and Girls. COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Oct. 2.-Claude Hyatt, aged 16; Marion Fuller, aged 16; Nellie Mackland, aged 15, and Katle Linsel, aged 14, left this city for a drive to Cres aged 14, left this city for a drive to Cres-cent. Later word was received that their team had run away and one of the party was killed. The accident happened five miles east of town. The team became frightened and pitched down a ravine thirty feet. Hyatt was killed and Neille Mackland was badly injured. Fuller and Miss Linsel es-caped with bruises. The cartage was wreck-ed and the horses killed.

Boy Shooots at a Crowd. About 9 o'clock Monday evening an un-known boy got into a quarrel with a crowd of young men at Wainut and Hourth streets and fired a shot into the crowd without sflect. All assaped.

DIDN'T ASK FOR MORE MEN. WILL FIGHT HIM Denial That Postmaster Carlisle's Request Was Refused.

The reports from Washington about the work of the letter-carrier "spotters" confirm the statements published in the Postspatch last week that the Govern

firm the statements published in the Post-Dispatch last week that the Government imspectors were here and were shadowing the men wearing Uncle Sam's gray livery. Postmaster Carlisle knew nothing of the "spotters" when they were at work and he has not heard the results of their reports to the Washington authorities.

The statement in the Washington dispatch that Postmaster Carlisle recently asked for more carriers and that his request will be refused on account of the showing made in the inspectors' reports is denied by Assistant Postmaster Little, who says Mr. Carlisle potlined the Washington authorities that he had enough carriers.

A pending change is the transfer of nine carriers from the territory east of Broadway to the West and South Ends. They will be assigned to the stations at 1555 South Jefferson avenue, at Morgan street and Vandeventer avenue and at Union Station. This transfer will not be made until the Washington authorities give their approval.

One cause of delay was a difficulty over the rent of the railway mail building erected by the Terminal Association under the train shed. The Terminal Association prompany asked \$1,500 on the ground that it cost more than was expected. A compromise was made on \$1,000 a year, but other difficulties have arisen between the Government and the Terminal Association.

THE WAGES OF SIN.

Misguided Belle Griffith Will Fill Pauper's Grave.

Belle Griffith has explated her sin. She died Monday evening at the City Hospital from the burns she received Sunday at a camp on the bank of the river, opposite Carondelet, established by her and Benjamin Henderson.

The girl was 18 years old and an orphan. She was a friend of a daughter of Henderson, who was a fisherman at Kansas City. Henderson and she formed a connection, which ended in their elopement in a skiff. Sunday they were visited in their camp by several young men from Carondelet, and the party drank heavily. As the visitors were leaving Belle Griffith's dress caught fire and she was fatally burned. She was taken to the City Hospital and suffered intensely until the hour of her death.

The body will probably be buried in potters' field, as Henderson has disappeared, and there is no one else to claim it.

EXTENDED BICYCLE TOUR.

Five Women Will Ride From San Francisce to Chicago.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 22.-Pretty Luiu Laro has determined on an extended bicycle tour when she gets her divorce from her barber husband, whom she horsewhipped in Oakland a few weeks ago. Ac-

her barber husband, whom she horse-whipped in Oakland a few weeks ago. Accompanying Mrs. Laro will be Mrs. Benson and Mrs. Alice Johnson of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of San Prancisco and Miss. Lilly D'Arcy of Oakland. The trip will be to Chicago and return, and the costumes worn by the lady riders will be bloomers of the latest cut. Mr. Freeman will be the only protector of the ladies on the journey. A stay of five weeks will be made in Chicago, where Mrs. Laro has relatives.

It was the intention of Mrs. Laro and her party to start on Monday next, but Judge Ellsworth postponed her divorce case until next week and this will delay the party. It is expected however that a start will be made within three weeks. The route of the party will be southward and thence eastward through Arizona and New Mex. ico, in order to avoid the cold weather that will be found in the mountains on the northern route at this season. All the members of the party are experts on the wheel, in fact, Mrs. Laro's matrimonial troubles were due to her proficiency as a bicycle rider and her fondness for bloomers.

THE QUARTETTE MUST 60.

Rev. Johnston Meyers Wants His Congregation to Sing.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22.-There is conlock a. m., after a long period of health, although death at the last this city over the announcement that the choir of Immanuel Baptist Church has

Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth and Pueblo, Colo., it is learned that \$5,000 head of cattle have already been bought in Mexico for shipment into this country, and 40,000 of them are already on the border ready to enter the United States this morning.

TO ARREST A LYNCHING.

Two Poplar Bluff Suspects Landed in St. Louis Jail.

Sam Bailey and Ed Beatle, colored, were brought here Tuesday by Sheriff J. R. Hogg of Poplar Bluff, Mo., and placed in jail for safe-keeping. They are charged with murdering a railroad man named Woods Satur day night. They were arrested the next norning in a barber shop. The murder created great excitement and lynching was freely talked of. Excitement and lynching was freely talked of. Excitement seemed to be on the increase. Sheriff Hogg spirited the men out of jall, walked them to a railroad crossing, flagged a train and brought them to St. Louis. Both prisoners deny any knowledge of the crime.

WIDE APART. Democrats Fail to Harmonize on the New York Ticket.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The many con NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The many conferences between representatives of the Democracity State Committee, the State Democracy and Tammany Hall, to try to secure harmony on legislative candidates, have resulted in utter failure and the efforts of Senator Hill have all been in vain Tammany men declare that the State Democracy leaders never had any idea of harmonizing on Senate or any other candidates, and accepted the invitations to confer simply because they were compelled to do so by force of public sentiment. They declare that Fairchild and Platt have made a deal on Legislative candidates and the State Democracy could not ignore the bargain even if it wanted to do so.

IN PRIVATE.

Offer of Fitzsimmons to Champion James J. Corbett.

SIDE STAKE PRIZE ENOUGH.

Martin Julian Says Fitzsimmons Will Go to Corbett's Training Quarters and Demand a Fight.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 22.—Martin Julian, manager and backer of Robert Fitz-simmons, this morning made the following

cept Pitzsimmons has issued a pronuncia mento of some sort, I think it incumbend upon me to say something in justification my course in directing the affairs of

of my course in directing the affairs of Fitzsimmons.

To begin with Fitzsimmons stands ready to carry out to the letter every word contained in the articles to which he signed his name. He wants to fight James J. Corbett, he wants to fight for the purse offered by the Florida Athletic Club and the stake of £10,000 a side. If the Florida Athletic Club is unwilling or unable to carry out its part of the compact, in so far as the purse is concerned, then Robert Fitzsimmons will on Oct. 31, take James J. Corbett to any part of the globe within the reach of both men, and there and then fight him to a finish for the £10,000 side stake, each man to select six men and these only to be present at the fight.

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"I do not care to mince matters. I simply want to stake; and state it strong, that if James J. Corbett and Robert Fitzsimmons do not meet and fight on October 31, it will be by virtue of no fault of Fitzsimmons. There is not an insincere bone in Fitzsimmons. There is not an insincere bone in Fitzsimmons. There is not an insincere bone in Fitzsimmons. There is no tan insincere bone in Fitzsimmons body. He will offer no excuse of any sort. All he wants is justice, a fair field and a chance to confirm his opinion as to his ability to hold the heavyweight title of champion, as he has that of the premier middleweight of the world."

There is no doubt on earth, and I submit this to the intelligence of every man who has watched the course of the Florida Athletic Club. that there has been an undue friendliness between Corbett and the men who compose therelub, particularly as to Mr. Vendig. The club has shaped its course to suit the whims and caprices of Corbett. The subtle and fine Italian hand of Brady can be traced in every important move made by Vendig. Now, at the crucial moment, when it looks as though some one would have to be butchered in order to make a Roman holiday, the sincerity of Fitzsimmons is assailed. This is wrong. I repeat that Fitzsimmons wants to fight Corbett, and if the latter is half as anxious to make a fight as is Fitzsimmons wants to fight Corbett, and if the latter is half as anxious to make a fight as is Fitzsimmons wants to fight Corbett, and if the latter is half as anxious to make a fight as is Fitzsimmon swints to fight Corbett, and a large stockholder in the match, there were a dozen ways in which he could have avoided the attachment of our stake money. But Mr. Dwyer is the backer of Corbett, and a large stockholder in the florida Athletic Club. This may be nothing more than a colneidence, but it looks strange. I am going to have Robert Fitzsimmo

HOT SPRINGS, Oct. 22.-Brady, whose in lignation reached such a pitch that ice-cold hampagne boiled in the glass when he ouched it, found time to address the following letter to the public. It is not a brilliant effort, inasmuch as Brady has lost the

strongest point in his case:
"Fitzsimmons has crawled, just as thought he would. I do not pretend to know a lot about pugilists and their modes. My a lot about pugilists and their modes. My connection with them has been almost entirely confined to my association with Corbett, whom I took up and managed in the regular course of my theatrical business. Therefore I cannot place myself in a position of a pugilistic cradle, but I do flatter myself as being a pretty good judge of human nature, and I told Corbett months ago, when this man Fitzsimmons was getting loud about his anxiety to meet him in the ring, that he was not sincere in his desire and that he was simply using Corbett choir of Immanuel Baptist Church has been given notice that after Nov. 10 its services will be dispensed with. This is in consequence of the position of the new pastor, the Rev. Johnston Meyers, who says that art is all right in its place but that it is no part of the mission of the church to usurp the functions of the concert stage. He likes oratorio in its place, but in church he prefers sacred songs which change men's hearts and lives. Immanuel church is said to possess the finest church quartette in the Western country, but this fact has failed to make an impression on the new minister. He wants the congregation to do the single in the congregation to the congregation to do the single in the congregation to the congregation to do the single in the congregation to do the single in the congregation to the congregation to the congregation to the con

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Arguments in the Prize Fight Case Are in Progress.

Special to The Post-Dispatch. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 22.—The Supreme Court convened this morning at 10 o'clock, all the Justices being present, to listen to arguments in the Corbett case.

Attorney-General Kinsworthy was the

Attorney-General Kinsworthy was the first to address the court. He endeavored to show that prize fighting was nothing more than an assault, and when premeditated and the authorities were cognizant of the fact, that it was their duty, when complaint was made, that the parties who intended violating the law should be placed under a peace bond.

Hon. H. W. Martin of Hot Springs, attorney for the prize fighters, contended that the issue before the court was not as to whether prize fighting was to be considered as an assault or whether the proposed contest to be held at Hot Springs would be a brutal affair, that the sentiment of the state was against it and for that reason it should be prevented by the Supreme court. That question the court had nothing to do with. It was very well understood, said Mr. Martin, that under the new arrangements the fight, if held at Hot Springs at all, would not be a brutal affair. Everybody understood that. The question for the court to decide was as to whether there was any law in Arkansas against prize fighting and glove contests, and here the attorney read that portion of the proceedings of the General Assembly of 1891 relating to the introduction of the bill to prohibit prize fighting and the House.

Juoge Hemmingway, who is assisting the

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Munyon's Catarrh Remedies never fall. The Catarrh Cure-price 25c-eradicates the disease from the system, and the Catarrh Tablets-price 25c-eleanse and heal the paris.

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Personal letters to Prof. Munyon,
Personal letters to Prof. Pa., answ Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answer with free medical advice for any disease.

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ahould, to start out with, regard prize fighting as illegal and that was the ruling he asked the court to make. That being done the Government would know how to act.

At noon, pending the argument, the court took a recess until 2 o'clock. The argument will be concluded this afternoon and the court will probably render a decision to-morrow, and if not to-morrow, not until Saturday.

This would be very disappointing to the Governor, as he wants an immediate answer from the court as 6 whether the anti-prize-fighting law is legal. He has some doubts about it being so himself.

In case the court should decide that it is not legal, the Governor will convene the Legislature in extraordinary session. He has a proclamation for that purpose already prepared, and this morning he signed about ninety telegrams to members of the Legislature informing them that he had called the Legislature together and urging them to be on hand at the capital on Friday. It is believed that the proclamation and the telegrams will go out to-night if the Supreme Court should manifest the slightest disposition to declare the prize-fighting law unconstitutional or to delay until Saturday in rendering an opinion.

If the court will grant an injunction against the prize fighters until the case is settled this will satisfy the Governor, and he will await the settlement of the issue before calling the Legislature together, if he must resort to this course to prevent the contest. The Governor takes no stock in the announcement that the fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons is declared off. He says they will fight if the authorities of Arkansas will let them. That is all that is preventing the meeting, the Governor says.

EL PASO HAS A PLAN. The Fighters Can Be Shipped Over the Border Without Trouble.

General Passenger Agent Mellier of th Texas Pacific road is in the city. He says the citizens of El Paso, Texas, are making strong bid for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons

West.

He regards the declaring off of the fight at Hot Springs as only a bluff on the part of the managers, and says that it would be an easy matter to have the fighters and spectators congregate at El Paso on short notice.

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The plan of the El Paso people is to offer a reasonable purse for the fight and then have everything in readiness to transport the crowd over the line into Mexico, probably near Juarez and have the fight take place in a circus tent. No tickets are to be sold for the fight, but \$25 will be charged for a round trip excursion to the scene of the battle.

Representatives of the El Paso projectors will visit Fitzsimmons at Corpus Christi and try and induce him to accept their proposition to have the fight take place under these conditions, and it is almost certain that Corbett would be fit favor of the plan.

Sporting men all over the country are condemning Joe Vendig and Billy Brady for "shooting off their mounts" so much to get their names in print and create antatsonism to ring sports in every State in the country. ountry.

FOR A REDUCED PURSE. Another Match May Be Made Between Corbett and Fitzsimmons.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 22.- The fight "HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 22.—The fight situation here has assumed a somewhat different phase and it may yet develop that Corbett and Fitzsimmons will meet. Stuart and Vendig now state that, in view of Fitzsimmons' arbitrary stand, the contract between the club and the fighters, in so far as it relates to Fitzsimmons, is abrogated. The club now stands ready to offer a new contract, which comprehends a modification of the purse offering to, say \$25,000, at the most, and the fixing of the date of battle two or possibly three weeks later than the original date. Vendig and Stuart are a unit on this point.

point.

Vendig this morning got a telegram from J. J. Quinn, Maher's backer, offering to bet \$5,000 on the Irishman if the match between Corbett and Maher can be made. Julian is still here and has till noon to make another application for a purse.

JACK DEMPSEY DYING. The Ex-Middle-Weight Champion Is Passing Away.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 22.—Jack Demp-sey is dying. Within the past few days he sey is dying. Within the past few days he has been rapidly sinking, and it is announced that his hours are numbered. He has tried a change to the country, but with little apparent benefit. His physicians allow few of the puglist's friends to see him. Dempsey realizes his condition and says it is due to the blow he received at the hands of Fitzsimmons four years ago, but his friends say it is consumption. Since his return to his home here some months ago Dempsey has absolutely refused to talk to reporters about prize fighting.

Fighters Not Indicted. AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 22.—Travis County Grand-jury made their findings public today. They found no indictments against Corbett or Fitzsimmons for compounding a felony, and as predicted in these dispatches at the time the investigation of the trainers of the two parties proved to be a regular flash-in-the-pan proceeding.

Women Will Settle It.

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It has long been a disputed point among merchants whether the advertising of special bargains for midweek days is prontable. The value of Monday and Friday as "Bargain Days" is conceded by both merchants and buyers, notwithstanding the announcement of extraordinary buying opportunities for the other four days of the week. To-day the "Grand Leader" is trying to settle the question in the affirmative by offering some most amazing bargains. Attention, is called to the "Grand Leader" at in another part of this paper—no woman bught to miss it.

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THE BREAK

IN COTTON

St. Louis Factors Think It Was Not Justified by Conditions.

Jerome Hill and L. L. Prince Discuss the Situation From a Cheerful Standpoint.

The tremendous excitement in New York over the break in cotton has had its effect n St. Louis, but not in the same way a Owing to the corner engineered by Peter Labonisse of New Orleans and his friends, artificial conditions have been created which for a time did serious injury to St. Louis as a cotton market.

Little interior towns in Arkansas have been paying more for cotton than St. Louis buyers could afford. It is felt that the break will be recovered from and that the cotton situation will be healthler than before.

Jerome Hill said to a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday morning: "What I anticipated has happened. A regular panic has struck the market and the future board has done its work. Contract cotton has declined 110 points in the past five days, which, if applied to spot cotton, would, I estimate, detract from the value of this crop about \$35,000,000. This but proves what I have always held to-that this unnatural power should never have been countenanced or legalized by Boards of Trade. No such decline could possibly have happened with

er legalized by Boards of Trade. No such decline could possibly have happened without the aid of this new wrecking machine. The loss will be heavy to the lambs or the uninitiated who have been misled by the belief that a short crop governs values.

"The crop has not improved since the Government report and on its merits the intrinsic value of cotton is 9 cents. The bears held that the advance was too capid and I was inclined to the same opinion and so told my customers.

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"It is hard to quote spot cotton. January cotton closed at New Orleans Monday at 8.18. Now in this demoralized state of affairs there is no sense in owners of cottor losing their heads. The crop is still short fairs there is no sense in owners of cotton losing their heads. The crop is still short and the staple has not gone out of use and the interior merchants and producers can and will have the hearty support of the cotton factors without whom their condition to-day would be most unfortunate. With an active demand for goods and with healthy trade throughout the world there are more inducements and reasons for investment than we have had for some time. I have wished for higher values but the situation did not seem to me to justify advising my customers to purchase on a basis of say 3 cents. There may be a further decline but: I would rather buy cotton to-day than sell it. All that we have raised will be needed for the world's consumption and after a few days which it will take to clear off this wreck I look for an improvement in values."

President L. L. Prince of the Cotton Exchange attributes the break, as did Mr. Hill, to the manipulation from New Crieans.

"The decline," said he, "is merely a speculative matter and will in the end result in good for St. Louis. I predicted on the floor last week that when the settlement came there would be a drop of 1½ cents. The drop has not been quite so much yet; and just now I think the crop conditions justify a recovery from the break although the market may momentarily go lower. The break was brought about by the depreciation of the situation by the conservative element of the trade, who did all they could to break down the New Orleans corner, and when they showed that disposition the small buyers tumbled over each other to get out, hence the great excitement yesterday."

DIDN'T USE A BALLOON.

But Contracter Hines Got a Move en That Building.

Contractor Hines has finally reopened for traffic Clark avenue, between Teresa and Grand. This bit of thoroughtare has been blocked since last Thursday by the big frame warehouse of the Nelson-Morris Packing Co.

Packing Co.

Harry Blake, the foreman in charge, was preparing to adopt heroic measures to open the street, and Tuesday morning he informed a Post-Dispatch reporter that he had considered the feasibility of employing four balleons and carrying the building bodily through the air, thinking by that means to avoid the objections of abutting property owners.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The Marblehead has arrived at Mersine in the Quif of Alexandretta under orders from the Navy Department to look after the welfare of American missionaries. The Petrel, which was sent to Chemulgo to reinforce the York town in protecting American interests there during the exciting times following the assessantion of the Queen of Corea, has returned to Che-Foo.

THIS WEEK

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Black and Colored Dress Goods, Just purchased. 500 pieces of this season's most fashionable fabrics, purchased from the manufacturer at less than cost of production. These, in addition to our Extensive

Lines of Exclusive Weaves in IMPORTED DRESS FABRICS, Enable us to offer values that are extraordinary. This purchase consists of 38-inch All-wool Glace Jacquards, value \$1.00. 69 CENTS.

38-inch All-wool Boucle Novelty Check, worth \$1.15, 69 CENTS.

38-inch Silk and Wool Novelty Suitings, worth \$1.25, 69 CENTS.

38-inch Black British Mohair Brocade Sicilians, worth \$1.00. 69 CENTS. 38-inch Black British Wool and Mohair Jacquards, worth \$1.25,

69 CENTS. 45-inch Black German All-Wool Brocades, worth \$1.00, 69 CENTS.

40-inch Black French All-Wool Lizard Crepons, worth \$1.00, 69 CENTS.

50-inch All-Wool English Tailoring Checks, 50-inch Scotch Fancies, etc., 69 CENTS.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Our entire lines, this season's importations, in THE SUPPLY IS STILL SHORT. Ladies', Misses', Children's and Men's Hosiery and Undergarments, that comprise the best manufactures in the world, will be offered at prices as low as the goods can be obtained in this country.

We shall also close out broken lines of Ladies', Children's and Men's YPSILANTI VESTS AND SUITS. Men's Ribbed Wool Shirts, sizes 34 and 36, soiled, \$1.50, REDUCED FROM \$3.50.

Women's all Pure Wool Ypsilanti Suits, slightly soiled, Black, Natural and White, \$2.50 A SUIT. Winter weight, Reduced from \$5.00.

WOMAN'S YPSILANTI CASHMERE VESTS. Trimmed with silk, high and low necks, slightly soiled, MARKED TO 75 CENTS. Heretofore \$2.50, \$3.00, and \$3.25.

UNITARIANS IN CONFERENCE.

Over 1.000 Leaders of the Church in Attendance.

REV. BATCHELOR'S ADDRESS.

the Absence of Senator Hoar, the President, Hon. Dorman B. Eaton Presided.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.-More than thousand leaders of the Unitarian Church including scores of prominent divines, were when the National Conference of the Uni tarian and other Christian churches was formally opened. United States Senato Hoar of Massachusetts is the President of the conference, but was detained at Wor cester, and Hon. Dorman B. Eaton of New York presided over the session. A communion service, conducted by Rev. Dr. Charles C. Everett of Harvard opened the day's proceedings, and Commissioner o Labor Carroll D. Wright followed in an Labor Carroll D. Wright followed in an address of welcome. The following telegram of regret was sent Rev. Edward Everett Hale of Roxbury, Mass.: "The National Conference sends affectionate greeting in memory of his many distinguished services, and with tender sympathy for the anxieties and sorrows which deprive the conference of his presence and fellowship."

After some routine business, the Rev. George Batchelor, Chairman of the Council of the National Conference and Secretary of the Unitarian Association, read an address.

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Mr. Batchelor said: "The first fact which confronts us is a demand for more and better organization. The ears of this conference are always open to that cry. For out of, such a demand made thirty, years ago this conference came. Since that event 150 churches have been organized, local conferences have been formed and various societies and organizations created.

A new sense of the need of the unity pervades the religious life of the world. Among the many indications which might be cited are the Lambeth proposals, the Grindelwald conferences, the letter of Leo VIII., inviting the Protestant world to return to the Roman church. Less notable, but nearer to us, are the liberal congress at Chicago in May, the one at Teronto in July, and numerous meetings of ministers of different demoninations, such as those at Ayer, and on Cape Cod, Mass. With the purpose of these meetings, your representatives are most heartily in sympathy. But they hold that to succeed all such plans must look toward a voluntary co-operation of churches and individuals who are prepared for union. There can be no union under compulsion.

The last thirty years have given us a revelation of the laws of religious progress as notable as that which marks any religious notable as that which marks any religious progress as notable as that which marks any religious progress as notable as that which marks any religious progress as notable as that which marks any religious progress as notable as constant power working in the piccation of the laws of religious progress as notable as constant power working in the progress of civilization. Thirty years ago to progress of civilization. Thirty years ago



WOOL SOAP

DEATHS.

M'EVILLY-On Monday, Oct. 21, 1895, at 7 o'clock p. m., Catherine McKvilly, daughter of the late Edward and Margaret McEvilly, aged 15

late Edward and years.

The funeral will take place Wednesday, the 23d inst., at 8:30 o'clock a. m., from residence of her uncle, Nicholas Lamb, Olive Street Rock road, west of Six-Mile House, to St. Rose's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Friends are invited to attend. Carriages will leave Cullen & Keily's promptly at 7:30 a. m.

SMITH—21st inst., at 2 p. m., Catherine Smith, aged 54 years, the beloved mother of Samuel. Yames, Mary, Kate and Matthew Smith, and sister of John and Frank Germas.

Her funeral will take place from the family residence, 2615 Salivan avenue, on Wednesday, 23d inst., at 9 s. m., to 8t. Theresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family invited to attend.

STOLTZ-John F. Stolts, at 7:45 a. m., Tuesday, October 22. aged 27 years.

Puneral from residence of his stater, Mrs.

Chas. L. Heitzsberg, 4207 Cook avenue. Dos
notice of funeral will be given.

STUMPT—Entered into rest on Toesday, at 2 o'clock, Miss Stumpt. Funeral from 3817 Carter avance at 2 o'clock Tauraday.

living God, but revealed it as the most manent result of the progress of civi-tion. Religion abides and grows, and church universal, in all its changing to is its growing body.

FELL FROM A POLE.

Eddie Clark Feared Not to Climb and Has a Broken Hip. Clark, aged 5 years, of 2113 Gra

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For Free Coinage in the Eighteenth Illinois District.

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They Admit That a Change Is Needed, But Offer No Plan for

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ALTON, Ill., Oct. 22.—The. Eighteenth Congressional District is the political center of Illinois to-day, and free coinage is the main issue. The strongest men of both sides are on the stump. Last night Hon. R. P. Bland of Missouri made an address in this city in support of Ed Lane, the Democratic candidate, and the free coinage platform upon which he stands. It was one of the noted silver champion's best efforts, and he had an audience which packed the large City Hall.

After being presented by Hon. Louis
Pfeiffenberger, Chairman of the meeting,
Mr. Bland at once took up the issue of the

ampaign. He said:

"I am here for the urpose of doing what I can to promate the cause of the free coinage of silver, and to that end I shall ask ail who favor the proposition all district to vote for Mr. Lane.

with him and I know him personally: I know his political record, and I know that has always been an unchangeable friend of the people on that question and others. And I have been end unchangeable friend of the people on the question and others. And I have been end unchangeable friend of the people on the question and others. And I have used to the conclusion that there is more in the candidate than in the platform—more in the conclusion that there is more in the candidate than in the platform—more in the man and the platform on which he conclusion that it is more in the candidate than in the platform on which he conclusion than in the platform on which he late to I ratio, Mr. Bland said:

"When we speak of the sive question our opponents content themselves with denouncing a 50-cent dollar. They jump on the 16 to 1 proposition with both feet, and denounce it as sometained that the dollars established by our fathers should be given access by our fathers should be given access by our fathers should be given access the same manner as it was until stopped by the acro of 1873. We ask for nothling new, but on the late of 1873. We ask for nothling new, but on the consideration of free coinage in the past few months and in all its discussions we know that the opposition has not dered to make a proposition and go before the country with it. The first time the intention of our opponents was las winter, when they proposed to desiron greenbacks by refunding them in gold and permit national banks to issue notes a bonds. Since then the decree has gone forth to the organization to stop there. Then notice came from Wall street, and wall street organs published it, that advocate the gold standard under present conditions with the consideration of free conditions with the consideration of the following:

"Those that advoca

such as they undertake to impress on the people.

"Isn't it a strange thing that the greatest nation on earth, the greatest people the sun shines on—65,000,000 or 70,000,000 of them—sun shines on—and England combined, is not able to adopt and maintain a financial system with all that power and wealth behind it, when France alone can admit silver in her currency and admit it at par with all its money? Why, in a discussion in the House of Representatives last winter. Mr. Hendrix of New York, and even Secretary Carlisle admitted in a hearing before the Judiciary Committee in discussing the question of the power of the Secretary to issue bonds for the redemption of greenbacks, that the Secretary had the power to say whether he should pay gold or silver out for the redemption of notes—that is, could pay gold or silver at his pleasure.

"They tell us," said the speaker, "that

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THE CAMPAIGN

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Our Fire Price Gloves.

15 dozen "Jerome" 4-button

45 dozen "Empress" Kid; regularly sold at \$1.50

Ribbons.

Notions.

20 dozen "Splendide" 4-button French Kid Gloves and other brands; sold regu-larly at \$2. Fire Sale

30 dozen Misses' "Alexander" French Kids: sold regularly at \$1. 50C Ladies' "Czarina," regular \$1 Gloves: odds and ends Fire Sale

Hooks and Eyes, Paper English Pins, Spool Basting, Paper Safety Pins, 2 Pa-pers Hairpins, 1 Ball Darning Cotton, 1 Paper Needles, 2 dozen Shoe Buttons, 2 Thimbles, Box Black

Drug Sundries.

Swan-Down Complexion Powder.....

I lot Hair and Cloth Brushes,

Whis: Brooms, large and small sizes, regular prices 20c and 25c.... 500 dozen Cocoanut Oll Soap, regular price 5c; sale price......

A lot of Boys' Percale Shirt Walsts, Regular price 65c. 25C

Large Bottle Bay Rum....

Large Bottle

regular price 35c

Underskirts.

Our Basement and First Floor Departments are damaged by Fire, Smoke and Water. Everything was thrown around, tramped, bedraggled and soiled. We can not sell it for perfect merchandise, for it is not. Many pieces are not at all damaged and after a little airing will be good as ever. However, the insurance companies have agreed to pay us for all our trouble, so we don't care what price we sell at so long as everything is sold. Damage on the upper floors is very slight, but we will make prices to please you.

Not an article or a yard of goods will be reserved, but all of our quarter of a million stock of Dry Goods, Cloaks and Millinery will go for any price it will bring.

Store will be open at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.



we will sell about 500 Elegantly Trimmed Hats, which sold

as high as \$7.50, at the uniform price of

No Damage Whatever on This Floor.

Millinery. Basement Goods. Ali damaged more or less by smoke and water. Dress Ginghams, Calicoes and Muslin, worth up to 10c,

To keep pace with the cheapest goods down stairs,

Dittille	111
Beautiful Gray Blankets, Dollar kind, per pair	
slightly mussed, per pair 98c	Muslin Underwear.
Sheets and Pillow Cases.	A lot of Good Muslin Gowns, Drawers and Chemises, trimmed in fine em- broidery and tucks, regular
All right when washed—Pillow Cases, 15c kind, 6c	Fire Sale Price
81x90 Bleached Pepperell Sheets, regular price 69c, at	A lot of extra good Muslin Gowns, Drawers, Skirts and Chemise, trimmed with inserting of embroidery and lace,
9-4 Pepperell Sheeting, no damage to	with inserting of the worth from \$1 to \$2. Fire Sale Price
speak of, at 12C 20 Fancy Bed Ticking 8C	A lot of Ladies' fine Lawn Aprons, lace and inserting trimmed,
Bed Spreads, \$1.50 kind, 60C	regular price 25c. 12C
at	Fire Sale Price

B. L. Gustalas and Bartlana	Art Embroideries.
Rugs, Lace Curtains and Portieres Slightly mussed and must be sold any price that is fair.	Silk Embroidered Fringed Duck Table Covers, 12 patterns, worth \$1.25. Smoked out for
Handkerchiefs.	Art Denim Dresser Scarfs, worth 65c. Smoked 250
Ladies' Plain White Hemstitched Hand- kerchiefs, regularly sold for 12C	High Art Jap and Brownie Tinted Laundry Bags, worth 75c. 390 Smoked out
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Ladies' Fancy Embroidered Handker- chiefs, Hemstitched, regularly 3C sold for 15c, at	Smoked out at
Men's large plain White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regularly sold 2 for 25c, at	Better ones, worth 15c. Smoked out at

China and Lamps.

Our reserv	e stock	of lamps	was kept in
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	1 lot Central real Mexican brass and silv perial column out founts, we \$10, at the uni	er colur	nns, son pen hea	ne with	im-
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In addition we offer the following bar-gains in dinnerware:

One-half sets of 58 pieces, just the thing for small households, in pretty brown and green decoration, worth \$6.8, for one day at the low price \$4.15

Smoked out	Ladies' Underwear.
Stamped Pillow Shams, best quality, worth 30c. Smoked out for	Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Cotton Fleeced Underwear, 50c quality; 2IC smoked out at
Art Doylies, fringed and open work and stamping, worth 10c. Smoked out at	Ladies' Merino Wool Jersey Ribbed Underwear, Vests and Pants, 1.25 quality
Better ones, worth 15c. 4C Smoked out at4C	
Ball Silk, manufactured by Belding & Co., worth 10c per spool. Smoked out at	Misses' Fleece-lined Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, 39c quality, for

and Suits.

Ladies' Capes, Jackets

\$\text{Constitution of the constitution o
Fine Box-Front Coats, Ripple Back,
Fine Box-Front made of
Mandolin Sleeves, made of Dolan Beaver, a \$7.50 Jacket \$3.95
Dolan Beaver, a of the deal of
Stylish Box Front Reefers, in solid col-
big sleeves; Ripple Back; 54.98
regular price \$8.50.
Extra fine Tailor-made Jackets, made
Extra fine Tallor-made sactor, silk of the finest imported Kersey Cloth, silk of the finest imported by sleeves:
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they would be considered a \$7.50
laid Velvet Collar; try and \$4.40
Rough Boucle Cloth, and edged with
Rough Boucle Cloth, and Ch
Thibet Fur: \$6.75
value \$10.50
A handsome Circular Plush Cape, made
Plushes, silk-lined throughout, and
edged in Seal: \$7.50
Seal; worth \$15, if they are \$8.08
Seal; worth sie, it they are \$0.00

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	Finest Seal Plush Double Capes, with Storm Collar, Upper Cape and Collar, edged with genuine Marten Fur, eignative lined; value \$18.00.
	A lot of the handsomest Circular Plush Capes shown this season, elegantly braided and jetted, fancy changeable Silk Linings, a full Ripple Cape; worth every cent of \$22.50
	Stylish Tailor-made Suits, made with the new shape skirt and stylish box- front Coat, with Mandolin Sleeves; a 310 Suit
1	A lot of our finest Tailor-made Suits, made of fancy Scotch mixed materials, rough effects, all Box Coats and Flaring Skirts; regular \$15 and \$18 Suits
	Ladies' Dress Skirts, the new shape, and lined throughout, made of fancy figured Silk Warp Brilliantine; \$2.49
1	Stylish Dress Skirts, made of hand- some Brocaded Crepon, a swell Skirt; cannot be duplicated for less than \$9.75

Men's Underwear

	and Snirts.	
	Men's Random Wool Under- wear, 75c quality, at	c
	75c quality, at	٠
	Men's Flannelette Overshirts, 75c quaity, slightly damp.	
	Men's Fancy Bosom Percale Shirts, \$1.50 quality, at	
	Big lot of Smoked Tecks and 4-hands, 25c and 35c quality, at	C
A 1860	Better lot of 50c goods smoked out at	C

Laces, Veilings and

Ruchings.
Cream Insertion and Edgings, worth 15c to 20c; got caught in the shuffle and sell at
glish Lavender Silk and Black Silk Lace, worth up to 50c per 150
A fine lot of Black Bourdon Laces, inches wide, worth 25c, 80 smoked out at
1000 yards Black and Colored Ruchings, worth 75c; elegant values; no hurt much, but out it goes 290
10,000 yards Double-width Face Veilings worth 25c.
dots smoked out at
Another big lot fine Veilings, 60c, al fancy styles, smoked out at
Smoked Chemisettes, sold 121

Reserve Stock Damaged . . .

Our reserve stocks in many departments which occupied the basement have suffered greatly with smoke and water. We have marked the prices down below manufacturer's cost, for we must get them out of the store.

15c fine Damask Towels, fancy border oc

Linens.

5c Fancy Doylies, slightly mussed ... 5c Toweling, damaged by water

8 1-3c Fine Linen Doylies, slightly damaged

nosiery.
Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, regular 15c quality, smoked, at
Ladies' Fast Black Segmless Hose, regular 25c kind.
Ladies' Fancy Richelleu Hosiery, 35c quality, at
Children's Heavy Cotton Ribbed Hose, all sizes, 25c quality, 120
Children's Tan Ribbed Cotton Hose, 39c quality, all sizes, at
Infants' Ribbed all-Wool Hose, 25c quality, smoked out, at
Men's Cotton Hose, tan, black an mixed, solu regularly at 35c and 196
Men's Cotton Hose, 25c quality, at

Dress Trimming.

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1 lot Jet and Silk Band Trimming, regular price 20c yard; sale price49C
500 Jet Garnitures, all the latest styles, regular price \$2.50 to \$4; sale price
500 Pearl Garnitures, regular price \$2 to \$3; sale price
I lot of Bone Buttons, regular price 15c; sale price, per dozen
I lot beautiful large Metal Buttons, regular price 75c a dozen; IIC sale price
1,000 yards Narrow Spangle Trimming, all colors, regular price 35c a yard; sale price

Corsets.

A lot of extra long walst Corse	s, regu-
lar price, \$1.00. Fire Sale Price	35C
A lot of R. & G. Corsets, extra l	ong and
lar price \$1.25 and \$1.50.	400

No Goods

Exchanged

During

This Sale.

14C

Immense reduction on all handkerchiefs but slightly damaged.

Store

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

STANDARD—S. T. Jack's "Bull Fighter."
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QUARTERS FOR THE NEW JUDGES.

The Post-Dispatch's revelations regarding the effect of the delay in providing quarters for the new Judges disclose ar intolerable condition of affairs.

Last February the law creating three new Judges for this city was passed by the Legislature. It was the result of years of agitation and of public recognition of the necessity of relieving both the civil and criminal courts of the overwhelming pressure of business.

Gov. Stone appointed the Judges, as the law provides, but, although they have the henefits of the law because Collector Ziegenhein was not ready to move, and House of Delegates had more regard for Collector Ziegenhein's will than for the interests of the people of St. Louis. In consequence of this delay the dockets of the civil and criminal courts are overcrowded, the trials of cases are delaved and the city is put to useless ex-

Collector Ziegenhein is now said to be ready to move, but whether he is ready or not the delay cannot longer be tolerated. His pleasure must yield to the public in-A bill providing quarters for the Judges should be introduced in the Municipal Assembly at once and pushed through as rapidly as possible.

EXPERIMENTING WITH HUMAN SOULS

Protection of Children is called to the tell of Columbia College, New York. Prof. Cattell, whose specialty is psychoffspring for experimental purposes. He has imprisoned them in a lonely house on top of one of the highest peaks on the bank of the Hudson for the purpose of studying the development of their minds.

are barred to all visitors. The picture of the three little ones sitting in silence and gloom in their lonely ome, drawn by the reporter who entered in defiance of the father's rule, is full of the pathos of blighted childhood, and there is no blight in human life so

He permits them to hold intercourse with

disastrous to happiness as that. Vivisection of dumb animals is kind ness compared with the torturing of human souls. It is cruelty, too, which offers no justification in scientific results Development of the human mind, the knowledge of which is of real value from the standpoint of science, is development under normal conditions in the ordinary environment of the different phases of actual society, not under artificial conditions created to discover what effect they

Prof. Cattell, if he chooses, can stun the mental and moral growth of his chil-dren by cutting them off from all intercourse with their fellows and from all instruction and guidance until they are little superior to the beasts of the field. He can warp and twist their mental and moral natures to his will by forcing them into artificial conditions. But he will only satisfy vain curiosity at the sacrifice of the children. He will violate his obligations as a parent and a member of society. He will trample under foot the rights of the children.

There is a line where so-called scientific investigation should stop. It should not play with the sacred right of human beion and experiment.

The Bridge and Terminal combine of this city has at last reached the right place—the Federal Grand-jury room.

The issue between this combine and the people of St. Louis is a question of aw. The bridge and terminal companies

are charged with violating the laws pro vided for the protection of the public from the abuse of public franchises and from the abuse of public franchises and corporate powers. Facts have been brought out by the Post-Dispatch and by the investigating committee of the Illinois State Senate substantiating these charges. If the laws cannot be enforced it is vain for the people of St. Louis to attempt to free themselves from trust oppression.

The Federal Grand-jury enters an in vestigation in which the way has been made clear and smooth. It has the re-sults of the work of the Post-Dispatch and the Illinois committee to begin with. It has power to compel the attendance of witnesses and the giving of testimon; which neither possessed. It can probe

the whole matter to the bottom. The people of St. Louis have a right to expect from the Grand-jury a thorough insparing, effective investigation, and from the Federal law officers such sequent proceedings in court as that kind of an investigation may warrant.

ENGLAND AND VENEZUELA.

If England should be foolish enough to indertake a war with Venezuela, supposing the United States and the Centra American Republics did not interfere, she would have a formidable task befor her in an attempt to subdue that country. Her wars in South Africa and in the Soudan would be child's play in com-

parison with such an attempt.

The Venezuelans, numbering 2,000,00 n round numbers, though a mixed race are extremely warlike. They fought no less than thirteen years to throw off the yoke of Spain, and since then have had a civil war which lasted continuously for venteen years.

The country is far worse for carrying on a campaign than anything the English have encountered even in Africa. The climate is as deadly as that of the Gold Coast, and the Orinoco River keeps thousands of miles of land submerged for a great part of the year. The forests are as impenetrable as those of Brazil. The important coast towns are well located for defense, and the capital is situated at a safe distance in the in-

In addition to all this, Venezuela in buying machine guns, and if England has the least regard for the welfare of Tommy Atkins she will not send him there.

COST OF STRIKES.

Labor Commissioner Wright's report just issued, computes the number of per sons engaged in successful strikes during the last thirteen and one-half years at 669,992. The successful strikes have been over 43 per cent, and the partially successful 10 per cent of the whole. The emaining strikes, amounting to 47 per

cent, were unsuccessful. While the report would indicate that strikes have not benefitted the entire oody of workers, as the Commissioner es timates that the employes have lost about \$190,000,000, while the employers have lost but \$94,000,000 in round numbers, the element of possible permanent gain to the 53 per cent of workers who were tholly or partially successful must not be

st sight of. Thus, while the entire body of workers made nothing from strikes, the 53 per cent have probably made permanent been deprived of their services and of gains, which may be variously estimated. who were successful gained but an av, erage of 5 cents a day. This is \$10.65 per year for each person, and it will be found that in the thirteen and one-half years it amounts for the entire number engaged in these successful strikes to over \$96,000,000. At 10 cents a day it would amount to over \$192,000,000. It is probable that the actual gain is somewhere

> between these figures. The strike is a barbarous and danger ous weapon. It cannot be too often or too strongly urged that it be abandoned for other and more rational methods But while it does not benefit the workers as a whole, it is evident that it may have done some good to a large percentage of them.

The Health Department has done well The attention of the Society for the to make the free distribution of antitoxine conditional upon the return of case of the three children of Prof. Cat- full reports of cases by physicians using it. The fact that there is still grave doubt of the usefulness of the serum in ology, is using, or rather abusing, his high professional quarters makes the report of cases of great value in determin-ing mooted questions concerning its use and the circumstances under which it is efficacious. The reports offer a scientific basis for progress both in the use of anti-toxine and the general treatment no one except their parents. The gates of diphtheria.

According to Street Commissioner Milner's estimate the posting of street names all over the city will cost \$15,265. This seems a heavy expense for a small job, but it should be remembered that the work has been entirely neglected on many strets and so badly done on others that it will have to be done over. The cedar posts, however, on downtown streets might be omitted, as a neat, de sirable sign on corner buildings would serve all purposes.

The steady advance of the Post-Dispatch under the concentrated fire of its esteemed contemporaries may lead them to suppose they have made a mistake and that their attacks have drawn patrons to this paper. The truth is, how ever, that the Post-Dispatch is going on its own merits, and whatever its contemporaries are pleased to say will not in any way affect its prosperity.

Perhaps Czar Ziegenhein has a right to feel himself a Czar. Though the deficit in saloon license collections was well-known at the time of his re-election, he was again voted in as if he had been the most prompt and efficient of officers. The loss of many thousands of dollars to taxpayers through his delay in the matter of court rooms will, perhaps, further endear him to them.

mmenced at the beginning and it scandals were the foundation others. When the Investigating ties goes to work it should make agh search from beginning to end om top to bottom.

Even Don Dickinson, who is not afraid to reach over to Windsor and yalk the tall of the British beast, is afraid of Pingree potatoes, and has wisely got himself beaten in the Detroit Democratic mayoralty convention. With the excep-tion of Gen. Cass, Pingree appears to be the greatest man Michigan has produced.

Conkling said that Gen. Garfield was very eager for the nomination, and, like a young lady who was expecting a proposal of marriage, was endeayoring to appear indifferent, with about the usual degree of success. Author Sherman may possibly have got some tips from Conkling. With the smoke blanket all gone and

the mud out of the water and off the streets, St. Louis would be a municipal paradise. A population as energetic as that which every great city should have bould accomplish all these things.

If Mr. O'Brien's socks, sent to him as a present from his good grandmother in Ireland, are dutiable, certainly the Mariborough wedding presents ought to pay. The Government just now needs money almost as much as any Duke.

If Mr. Eckels has found that there metallic conference it is all the clearer that this great country should act in-dependently and not wait for a European

Croker favors a third term in spite of the general opposition, and he may succeed in winning Grover to the idea. Would it be ambition in Grover to allow himself to be persuaded by Croker?

There must be something peculiarly emoralizing in the atmosphere in Ohio when a Christian minister gets himself elected to the Legislature and then solicits a bribe for his vote.

When a capable Judge and two deputy sheriffs are required to adjourn a court that has no court-room and no means of transacting business, the city will be in a truly bad way.

There isn't much paranola in getting surgeon's bill reduced from \$15,800 to \$5,000. Duestrow has done more than many a perfect man could have accom plished.

There ought to be a bright political future for Sheriff Troll. It is not every man in politics whose views are so expansive as to take in three unearned sal-

Perhaps Gen. Noble will kindly furnish Si Patterson with some points. Orators as well as literary bureaus can be aided by great financial advisers. Abdul Hamid should be notified at once

that unless he lets up on the Armenians a fenderless trolley system will be ru through his dominions. The gablests that are being started by the Sherman book may for a time disby the Sherman book may for a time dis tract the public mind from the Corbett

Fitzsi mmons debates. John Sherman hasn't got the Presidency, but he has a book, and he may yet convince himself that it is better to write han be President.

The goldbug crowd is not spending noney freely for nothing. They expect to get it all back with interest if the people can be deceived.

As Anson was recently rendered unconscious by a fall from his bicycle, it might be well for us to look out a little for our Von der Ahe.

Doctoring the figures in Ohio in order to conceal corruption ought not to benefit the g. o. p. There are many taxpayer in both parties.

Thomas Reed regards it as an excellent men that Gov. McKinley's train got off the track in Ohio the other day. The Colt divorce suit seems to indicate

that J. J. Van Alen ought to have been ent to Rome after all.

Mr. Sherman's history will more than ever convince the world that every Ohio man is for himself.

Perry Fogg says that Garfield's nomina tion was sudden. It was sudden death to Sherman.

Lighting that will lighten the burdens of the tax-payer is the best illumination for all cities.

It is a curious fact that \$4,102 is almost nough to provide the city with street signs.

Senator Sherman may succeed better as an author than as a fence mender. Sherman is likely to get more answers

than Coin. Educate the People.

From the Waverly (Mo.) Tim Senator Vest, realizing that the coming struggle to reinstate silver will not be a walk-over, has perhaps painted the outlook in darker hues than there is occas for. He feels satisfied, however, that there would be no cause for alarm if the people could be brought to fully understand the end and aim of the gold standard advocate is to first capture their votes, after which their possessions will become an easy prey to their avarice. If the people, such as are open to conviction, are to be deceived by such stock phrases as "sound money" and for this cause fail to investigate its utter rottenness, then, indeed, will there be a triumph over them that generations yet unborn will not be able to repair.

The Per Capita.

From the Laddonia (Mo.) Herald. Senator Vest in his speech at Fayette the other day made a merciless attack upon Secretary Carlisle. The money circulation, per capita, is \$3.94 and not \$5.07, as Carlisle has represented. We believe that the Senator is nearer correct, by far, than Carlisle. The whole trouble with this country is its small money circulation. There are other little considerations, but the money question is the issue.

What Say They?

From the Dunklin Democrat. President atcMath's desire for an investigation of the City Hall job from the the public say they will fight only in the Democratic party, and now what say the gold standard advecates? Are they

WELL-KNOWN ST. LOUISAN.



William M. Tamblyn. William M. Tamblyn was born in Hones dale, Penn., Jan. 19, 1863. He was educated in the public schools of St. Louis. For the with the firm of F. W. Humphrey & Co. and for ten years has been junior and man-aging partner of that firm. He is a member of the Mercantile and Office Men's Clubs, the Elks, Tuscon Lodge, A. F. and A. M. Moolah Temple and Ivanhoe Comman dry, Knights Templar, Mr. Tamblyn is member of the Merchants' League Repub-lican Club and the Lincoln Club, and has for many years taken an active part in the politics of the city and State, but never to the exclusion of his business, to which he s assiduously devoted. Mr. Tamblyn is a

MEN OF MARK.

Salvador de Mendonca, the Brazilian Minister at Washington, is a man of immense wealth and an ardent student of natural

The interests of the Rothschilds are rep resented in the gold fields of Johannesburg. South Africa, by Hamilton Smith, a Kentuckian. He receives an annual salary of

A. B. Clingman of Cornwallis, Ore., died last week at the age of 98. At his funeral was a son aged 71, another aged 66, a daughter aged 68 and a great number of grand children and great-grandchildren.

The coming publication of the reminis enses of Henry Russell, author of "Cheer, Cheer," recalls the fact that Dr Charles MacKay wrote the words of the famous song, for the music of which Mr. Russell received just one guinea.

President Eliot of Harvard, T. Jefferso Coolidge, Richard H. Dana, Prof. Charles Eliot Norton and ex-Governors Robinson and Russell are among the signers of an address to the citizens of Massachusetts urg-ing them to vote "No" on the question of municipal suffrage for women.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. Gladstone is a very fine organist and still plays occasionally at chapel worship. Grace Hawthorpe, who has traveled ex-censively in the East, concludes that the absence of either morality or immorality n Japan doubtless accounts for the perect happiness of the Japanese.

Miss Frances E. Willard, who started the Loyal Temperance Legion in Boston, says that the order has a footing in every State, province and territory in North America, and that a branch has just been establishe

Miss Edith Oakey, the first woman to re ceive a diploma from the Veterinary College of Toronto, has begun to practise her profession at Sandeyal, O., a rich grazing country, where she has every opportunity of perfecting herself in her special branch, which is the diseases of milel cows.

Mrs. Henry D. Crum of Boston has contracted to supply seventy-five great der-ricks and a lot of other machinery for use in constructing the buildings for the Paris Exposition of 1900. Mrs. Cram will person-

ally direct the placing of the derricks. Miss Alma-Tadema has translated two of Maeterlinck's plays and they will be published by Mr. Walter Scott in the Scot Library. The plays are "Pelleas and Meli-sande" and "The Sightless," both of which re regarded as representing some of Maeterlinck's best work.

RIGHT IN IT, TOO.



FROLICSOME WIT.

"Do you smoke?" asked a Detroit girl of a Boston man. "Not at all," he answered loftly; "but the tobacco I use smokes."— Detroit Free Press.

Chollie: "Youah daughtah has consented to mawy me, an er-I'd like to know if there is any insanity in youah family." Old gentleman (emphatically): "There Old gentleman (must be!"-Truth.

Mrs. McBride (entering the: kitchen)
"Bridget, didn't I see that policeman kiss
you?" Bridget: "Well, mum, sure an' yes
wouldn't hev me lay mesilf open to arrest
for resistin' an officer, mum!"—New York Dispatch.

Dr. Pillem: "Did you administer the opiate at 9 o'clock as I directed?" Mrs. Gamp (with a snim): "That I did, but it seemed a pity to have to wake the poor man out of the first sound sleep he's had in four days to give it to him!"—New York Morning Journal.

They sat in deep thought for half an hour after the lunch. Finally one of them could stane it no longer. So, he took a cigar from his pocket and lighted it, with the remark: "Sorry I haven't got another cigar." "Just what I should have said to you in five minutes more," replied the other, also taking out a cigar, "It you hadn't got the start of me."—Boston Transcript.

may have a depressing effect upon free silver Democrats, without carrying any compensating benefit. Of course if the outlook is really so had that the free silver cause is already lost within the Democratic party, there cannot be honesty or even questionable policy in trying to conceal the facts.

I believe all sincere advocates of free coinage, even while indulging in mournful prognostications as to the future, couple with their depressing predictions a statement their depressing predictions a statement of belief that the free silver men-are really in the majority in the Democratic party. Believing myself that our element of the party is much the stronger numerically, I am will-ing to concede the victory to the minority. It is also notable that those who pre-It is also notable that those who predict defeat in the convention for the free
silver men seem to agree that the result
will be accomplished by undemocratic
agencies—by the power of money and of
corporations. In these coupled suggestions,
that the free silver men, though in the
majority, are to be beaten in National
Convention, and that the defeat is to be
accomplished through the overthrow of
the masses of the party by organized plutocracy, may be found food for thought.

Is the free silver cause already lost, or
have the majority who favor it a fair prospect of controlling the next National Democratic Convention? I still cling to the

ocratic Convention? I still cling to the hope and belief that the masses of the party will make themselves felt in convention next year, as they have not done for many a day. day. I have great reliance upon the unpurchasable power of the people when aroused, and I believe they will be thoroughly alive when the time for electing delegates shall have arrived.

Of course the Northeast must be given up

to the enemy in any and all calculations that may be made. Many of the common people there would vote for free silver coinage they had a fair chance to do so, but the ontrolling elements in that quarter are colidly against us. On the other hand, some strong men in the West an age, but they are not solidified as they might be, ought to be, will be, I believe, if hope be not lost while the fight is still on. Then, if we have the majority, as seems o be conceded ,and as I believe may well

e conceded, is not our first and greatest duty to awaken to a clear understa the situation and strive to make effective our superior numerical strength? Should we not endeavor to unite under the true banner of Democracy all the free colnage elements of all parties, depending alone upon the West and South for success? houldn't we regard the Northeast as ou antagonist, not to be converted into an

ally, whatever we may do? Then what is to prevent the majority in the West and South from sending free sil ver delegates to the national convention? If delegates be selected by districts, the free silver man will surely get many repesed tives from States where the other eleme may be the stronger; quite as many as can be lost in States in which the free silver men are the majority. Take Missouri, if you please. Why need there be a single ldenhued delegate sent abroad to repre sent in national convention the Dem of Missouri? If in one or two districts the gold men should be found in the majority the convention could easily instruct, first selecting those, and only those, who would

In States like Iowa and Ohio, our people would surely get a fair proportion of the delegates, as many probably, at least, as the other side, if the selections should be by for all, if selected at large. Upon the whole, it seems to me that the majority need neith it seems to me that the majority need neither surrender before the fight has begun nor despair of winning upon the strength of su-

convention upon the theory that the peo-ple must rule there; that their voice must be heard in the platform; that their will must be done in the nominations. Beyond this there is now no occasion to

black hearts and three red poppies. Louis XVI. bow in china ribbon, with a large chou on the right side under the brim,

French Fried Potatoes. Peel and cut lengthwise into four parts, wash and wipe dry, have ready a kettle of hot fat, put potatoes in frying basket and fry till they are soft or a golden brown, which will not take long. Serve hot. Sprinkle with salt.

Batter Cakes. Take one pint of wheat or rye flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one pint of sweet milk, one tablespoonful of melted butter, two eggs beaten separately; bake on the baking iron.

Mashed Potato Griddle Cakes. Two cups mashed potatões, one cup milk, hree eggs, one tablespoon butter, and salt o taste, one teaspoon of baking powder.

To Garnish a Dish.

Tincture of iron is one of the most in-dispensable household remedies, and should always be kept at hand. It will drive away ring worm, and used in moderation will cure that most painful of all ailments,

A Good Old Remedy.

Periguenx Sauce. Chop up fine two truffles. Place them in a pan with a glass of Maderia wine; boil for about five minutes. Add a dash of Espangole sauce. Allow this just to come to a boil; remove from the stove and serve while very hot.

Delicate Cake. Three-fourths of a cup of butter rubbed to a cream, with two cups of powdered sugar, one-half cup of water, three cups of sifted flower, one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Whites of eggs well beaten, Add flour and eggs alternately, Flavor with almond.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Post-Dispatch does not hold itself responsions or statement of facts in the It is a free parliament.)

Renaming the Barracks.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch. I see by this evening's paper that Lieut.
Guy V. Henry is anxious to change the name of the Barracks. Now, I think the name of Fort Mason would meet with approbation from all concerned. I say name it after Isaac M. Mason.

St. Louis, Oct. 21.

The First Land Sale.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
On account of existing social conditions I have bumped up against some rather sharp corners in my pursuit of happiness, which has started me seeking the causes of the prevailing social depressions.

I've probed around for causes and have trailed it all back to the starting point in the Garden of Eden, where I find that a "new woman" caused it all. What did she do?
After long and laborious expenditure of gray matter, I am firmly convisced that the first original sin, the source of all evils, on isery and poverty, consisted in the sale of the garden of Eden or a portion of it to the "subtle serpent." This began the sale of the earth until now the people have only "remnants" to apply their labor upon. As I am seeking information I would like to have Uncle Tom's idea on this point of history.

Dexter, Mo., Oct. 13.

districts, with a very good fighting chance for all, if selected at large. Upon the whole or sum of the policy of winning upon the strength of superior of winning upon the strength of superior or winning upon the strength of superior numbers.

danger is the power of money and of corporation. All that these agencies can do is aure to be done against us; and they can do thing, and one thing which I believe is beyond their power to accomplish is the overthrow of the masses of the people, when you their power to accomplish is the overthrow of the masses of the people, when you their power to accomplish is the overthrow of the masses of the people, when you can do the power of the power of

Ventilating a Cellar. Though contrary to the usual practice, night air will ventilate a cellar more thoroughly and cause less humidity than the hot air of midday. Open the cellar windows at sunset and leave them open until 6 in the morning, and the air will be cooler and dryer than if the cellar is closed at night and opened during the day. The screens or tratings should be so arranged that the windows can be opened and closed without removing them.

Good to Know

A choice orange, both peel and pulp, sliced and covered with fragrant hot tea makes a beverage fit for the gods.

A too rapid boiling ruins the flavor of any sauce; it must boil once, but should never more than aimmer afterwards.

Aloat of stale bread can be made quite fresh by being dipped quickly into hot milk and then baked until dry in a quick oven. To preserve the fresh green color of vege-tables, like peas and beans, the lid should never be put on the pot while they are

Hints for Housewives.

Sawdust and chamois as polishers after the cut glass has been thoroughly washed in soapsuds will make it glisten and sparkle. Rubbing silver or plated egg-spoons with a little liquid ammonia and salt will remove the discoloration caused by the sulphur the discoloration caused by the sulphur in the egg.

Mould can be kept from the top of preserves by putting a few drops of glycerise around the edges of the jar before screwing on the cover.

Girls' Woolen Frocks.

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From Harper's Bazar.

Velvet is the fabric chosen for combination with mice woolens and for the very few silk frocks that fashionable mothers permit their little daughters to wear. By way of trimming, narrow edges of fire are much seen and lace is less used than formerly, especially in gathered ruffles. Flat guipure bands and the white embroideries that imitate passementerie are very popular. Ribbed velvet ribbons are on the gay little French gowns, while others have many rows of black velvet ribbon almost as narrow as soutache braid. Narrow bands of black ostrich feathers are also effectively used as' borders.

Among stylish contrasts of color are fan te cloth dresses with a deep collar or a vest of clear green velvet. A cloth dress of the favorite green has printed velvet accessories, green with rose designs on the reversand vest. Dark ruby velvet forms a full gathered vest on a waist of brown and red frise wool. A covert-suiting jacket waist has a gathered plastren or rich nasturitum velvet. Blue and green are together in many ways, a deep collarette of green velvet trimming a very rich dress of blue and black boucle, while a simple blue mobair of the heavy serget twill has a stock and belt of emerald-green velvet. Brown velvet edged with mink bands forms a large collar of a low guimpe waist of bright red crepon. If a girl has a great deal of color in her face she will wear white trimming but satin is preferred to velvet, as a white satin band under guipure lace edged with fur down the front of a waist of brown or green crepon, and her stock will be of the satin with a great bow in the back.

Clotted Cream.

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To make a clotted cream from ordinary cream take a pint of ordinary raw cream; it does not matter if it is thin, only, of course, it must be cream and not milk. Pour the cream into a jug, and let this stand in a saucepan of boiling water until the cream is lukewarm. Take the jug out and stir into the cream a dessert spoonful and a half of essence of rennet (to be had at any chemist's). Let it stand a few minutes, when the cream becomes beautfully clotted. Serve it in a glass dish as required.

St. Louis, Oct. 20.

Our Revenue Collection System.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

If we intend to maintain the republic we must keep the majority of wealth of this country in the hands of the majority of its nearly.

As things are progressing now we are not going to do that, and Democrats, Republicans, Greenbackers, monopolists and aptimonopolists, railroad men and anti-railroad men and aptimonopolists, railroad men and anti-railroad men and apticantialists and aptimonopolists.

men, capitalists and anti-capitalists, one and all agree upon this. It is a notorious fact that this country is progressing more rapidly toward centralization of wealth than any other country on the face of the earth.

How are we going to prevent it? Whatever other causes may exist, it is indisputable that the general system of collecting revenue prevailing in the United States is such as to take much more from the pockets of the poor than it does from the pockets. such as to take much more from the pockets of the poor than it does from the pockets of the wealthy. Senator Sherman of Ohio pointed this out twenty years ago in an eloquent speech: Congressman Seymour of New York pointed it out fifty years ago, and Congressman Millikin of Maine, a personal friend of James G. Blaine, pointed it out in a speech ten years ago.

St. Louis, Oct. 20. UNCLE TOM.

The Proposed Street Labels.

The Proposed Strict

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Success to Street Commissioner Milner in his efforts to have our streets labeled, but we hope he will not strain our eyes by having to read the names placed lengthwise of the telegraph poles. St. Louis is a sold, wealthy city, and ought to afford good, substantial street signs that would not in a few years have a faded and dispidated appearance. St. Louis, Oct. 20.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

E. R. P.—Use benzine.
W. D. T.—From 340 to \$15 a month.
M. M.—Through the local directory com-

FIVE YEARS' SUBSCRIBERS.-No pre-J. S. AND OTHERS.—We have no pre-mium list of foreign coins. mium list of foreign coins.

MRS. K.—Use a gum paste. Your druggist will prepare it for you.

MERCHANT.—You can have a police officer order them to move on.

JOE B. DIXON—Call at this office and an explanation will be given you. INQUIRER.-Your handwriting can be improved. It is legible but stiff. improved. It is legible but stiff.

INFORMATION.—The newspaper programme can be mailed for 2 cents.

BUBS.—Not one-tenth the population of Ireland can speak the Gaelic tongue.

HORATIO.—The simplest test of a pure-diamond is that it is invisible in water. F. S. D.—Sousa's engagements are made by Mr. Blakely, his business manager. TWO OLD SUBSCRIBERS.—The esti-mated population of Canton, China, is 1,600,-000.

game.

BRUNETTE.—Interest one of the loos wholesale druggists. Your handwriting better than your spelling.

LANDLORD.—If you are paying the l cense you can shut off the tenant's water supply when his time is up.

7.—The Oriental Theater proper.

supply when his time is up.

A. T.—The Oriental Theater prourchased by Mr. L. A. Nelson Shaare Emeth Temple trustage.

ANXIOUS MOTHER.—Stryed deadly poison and should not it tered without a doctor's prescribe string. The supplementary of the until the deal is over. The having it or the meat points over READER.—In game of cin otherwise agreed before game man holding the natural points. Jack, game, respectively, or charge agree out. For each other supplementary of the supplementary of the

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HOW A GOLD FLOOD MAY AFFECT US

Mint Director Preston Talks About It.

COMMERCIAL STIMULANT.

The Increase in the Production of the Yellow Metal Is a Harbinger of Good Times.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 22.—In the forthcoming report of the Director of the Mint, R. E. Preston, much space will be devoted to the subject "The Flood of Gold." which seems to be sweeping over the gold producing countries of the wirld.

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He was asked: "Will the increase in the production of gold stimulate business in this country?"

"Most assuredly," he answered. "When there is an abundance of money in circulation prosperity prevails. The more money we have the more we spend. That is the common practice as it applies to the average person throughout the world. If the United States has an increase in the production of gold, the result will be that there will be an increase in the volume of investments. The more gold we have the more valuable become our securities, and foreign investments for their capital. The same conditions apply to the world at large, so that I sincerely believe that we are about to experience a 'flood of gold' that will improve business and help to solve the financial problem."

Here Mr. Preston took from his desk

business and help to solve the absolute problem."

Here Mr. Preston took from his desk an extract from his forthcoming report, which shows the gold production of the world for the past year. In round numbers the total was \$180,000,000. Of that amount the United States produced \$39,500,000, while the provinces of Great Britain, including Australasia, South Africa, India, British Guiana and the Pominion of Canada, produced \$89,368,000.

"It must necessarily work an improvement in business circles, for as soon as it is known that American gold mines are panning out well the foreign investors will come back to this country with their surplus capital. Gold has a fixed value all the world over, and the miners know and investors know what the can get for it whenever they present it at the mints. This improved condition in the gold product will. In my judgment, materially assist in the settlement of the financial question. Why, out in Colorado the people are quite indifferent about silver now that they are having so much success with gold. It is not profitable to mine silver as compared with gold, for the value of the former metal fluctuates, while the price of gold remains fixed, and the miners know just what they are going to receive for the precious metal contained in the ore."

"Then you believe that this healthy increase in the product of the American gold mines will stimulate business generally?"

"It will certainly assist materially in "The metal contained to the said the said to the said to the said."

"It will certainly assist materially in the prosperity that is returning to us, and if we find a basis for our financial transactions and let the country know just what our policy is to be, we will be all right. We will see the United States standing second instead of third or fourth in the list of gold producing countries. We have greater resources in this country and better facilities for mining. The outlook for all of our gold producing States is therefore brighter than it has been in the past."

SHOT THEIR BROTHERS. Cases of Fratricide Growing Out of Quarrels.

BEATTYVILLE, Ky., Oct. 22.—In a drunken row at a dance at William Simpdrunken row at a dance at William Simpler's house, the host in attempting to prevent his twin brother Charles from engaging in a fight, cut the latter with a knife, and Charles, getting behind Williams' wife, emptied a revolver into him, inflicting fatal injuries.

LULING, Tex., Oct. 22.—Allen Styles was fatally shot by his brother. Elijah Styles, with whom he had quarreled.

KILLED HIS PHYSICIAN.

Faro Dealer Shooots Down Dr. Wray Dallas' Streets.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 22.-Marion Hardcastle, a faro dealer whose young wife obtained a divorce from him less than a brained a divorce from him less than a prinight ago, attempted yesterday to cane or. J. J. Wray, his family physician, but he latter ran away. Last night Hardastle met Wray again and shot and killed im in the presence of Wray's brother and t least 100 others. Hardcastle said the hysician had interfered with his family flairs. Wray originally came from Moberton.

Federal Grand Jury Report.

The United States Grand-jury made a partial report Monday, returning true bills against the following.

M. C. Allen and Martin McFarrow; breaking into a post-office.

Newton Adams, Alonzo Brandon, John A. and Alonzo Brandon, Alfred Henderson, Eugene Forrest and Greeley Miller; counterfeiting. feiting. Chomas Jefferson Brown; forging pension checks.

Henry Clark; selling liquor.

John Fuller Thomas; rifling letters in the

J. C. Petit and Martin Ryan; mailing ob J. C. Petit and Martin Ryan; mailing obscene matter.
Frank M. Crider: robbing post-office at Miliwood, Lincoln County, and larceny.
William M. Hall; burglary of the post-office at Harviel, Butler County.
Emil Hartenbach, demanding illegal postage. He was a letter carrier and is said to have collected more postage on "postage due" account than was right.
E. H. Howard; mailing a non-mailable postal card.
Edward J. King; using the mails as King's Phonographic Institute in a scheme to defraud by offering to teach shorthand in six weeks.

John C. King; retaining a soldier's pen-

on certificate. Kirby L. May; using the mall in a scheme o defraud. Joseph al. McGrath; rifling a letter. Alex D. Shay, mate of the Cherokee, ddicted for assaulting a deckhand. Julius Gamm; forging a Government se-

One indictment was withheld because the person has not been arrested.

The above list comprises mainly jail cases and cases where the accused is out under Another report will be made later in th

Torturing Disfiguring SKIN DISEASES Instantly Relieved

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SILVER QUOTATIONS. Why the Figures Given Mean Little o Nothing.

DENVER, COLO., Oet. 12.—"The curren quotation of silver means little or nothing," said a well known ore buyer to-day. The smelters have contracted their buillior or months to come to the big agencies in New York, and these in turn have sold o London... "The market will be steady at or near present prices until these contracts are filled. Then it may go higher and it may

not."

Contracts with the large mines producting silver in Colorado, Utah and other Western districts run with the smelters to the first of the year. In many of these contracts the allowance for silver and lead and for treatment charges is fixed, regardless of quotations, so that the figures given each day apply mainly to small lots of ores,

CANAL TROLLEY. Testing the New Invention at Tonawanda, N. Y.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 22.-A preliminar test of the trolley cableway for the propul sion of canal boats was made in the Eric sion of canal boats was made in the Erie Canal at Tonawanda at the direction of Frank W. Hawley of Rochester, President of the Cataract Construction Co. of Niagara Falls. After the current was turned on the motor moved along the cable for about 40 rods, when the cable sagged under the weight of the motor, and the latter touched the ground and immediately flames shot out and enveloped it. The flames blazed for a couple of minutes and then died out and the preliminary test came to an end.

Mr. Hawley said it would be necessary to procure machinery to prevent the cable from sagging before any more tests could be made. Further preliminary tests will be made during the week and the final and official test will be made on Saturday. Two boats were hauled the distance of 40 rods before the motor touched the ground. The boats were the William Yerkes and the Charles O'Dell.

ABOUT COAL PRODUCTION. Though It Has Fallen Off the Num-

ber of Miners Has Increased. HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 22.—The statistics of the mining regions, which will be included in the forthcoming report of the Department of Internal Affairs, show the production of coal for 1894 in the anthracite and bituminous districts of Pennsylvaia to have been 85,306,378 tons, a decrease of 5,256,072 tons from the production of 1893. The production of anthracite coal was 45,506,176 tons. The bituminous production was 39,800,210 tons, as against 48,421,899 tons in 1893, a reduction of 3,621,179 tons.
While the production shows this great falling off the total author of employes in and about the mines has increased. The comployed during 1895 was 226,872, as against 219,821 in 1893, an increase of 7,651. HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 22.-The statis

REV. DREW'S SYMPATHIZERS. They May Organize a New Church or

an Independent Basis. CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22 .- A new church CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22.—A new church may be organized on an independent basis by members of the Winter Street Methodist Episcopal Church, who sympathize with the Rev. E. W. Drew. A majority of his former congregation, it is said, believe that he has been done an injustice by the Rock River conference. At a meeting held Sunday night Sylvester Gaunt, Dr. W. H. Pearson, Mrs. Hough and others spoke in favor of a new independent church. They claimed to have 500 followers, and sent a committee to submit plans to Mr. Drew, who promised an answer to-morrow.

CHINESE PUT TO DEATH, Execution of Fourteen Participants in the Hwsang Massacre.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-A cablegram from Foo-Choo, China, to a New York paper says:
Mabel Hartford's assailant and thirteen others convicted of taking part in the Hwsang massacre, were put to death this morning at Ku-Cheng. The execution was witnessed by the foreign consular commission, the Chinese prefect, the District Magistrate and a great crowd. There was no disturbance.

ILLINOIS TAX BATE.

It Is Much Higher Than It Has Been Since 1887.

SPRINGFIELD, III., Oct. 22.-The IIIInois tax rate for 1895 has been fixed by the Governor and Auditor at 52 cents on the store ran Auditor at 52 cents in the general revenue tax and 13 cents is the general revenue tax and 13 cents school tax. This will yield a revenue of \$4,332,580, less \$250,000 lost by reason of delinquencies, removals and the like. It is the highest tax imposed since 1887, when 53 cents was the rate, and only once since the adoption of the present constitution has it been higher than that, namely, in 1872, when it was 75 cents.

DUN AGENCY CHANGE. F. E. Griswold Made General Manager

of the Chicago District. CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22 .- A change of much importance to the business men of Chicago and the Northwest has been made in the office of the Dun Mercantile Agency of this city. F. E. Griswold, who, for twenty years, has had control of the Albany, N. Y., office of the agency, has been appointed general manager of the Chicago district and will have under his management thirteen other offices in the West and Northwest.

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For the furnace size of our Pittsburg Crushed Coke. Stove sizes, \$4.50 per to A perfect substitute for Anthracite Coal furnaces and stoves; a charming fuel for grates; 50 per cent cheaper than Anthracite; almost as cheap as common coal. Much cleaner and easier handled. DEVOY & FEUERBORN COAL AND COKE CO., 315 North Seventh Street.

AGAINST TRAFFIC IN LIQUOR. Organization of a National Society Effected in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22 .- At the Sherman House last evening the formal organization of the National Federation and Council of Men and Women was effected. The purpose of this association is to use every lawful means for the suppression and, if possible, the abolishment of the liquor traffe, and to consider other matters of public concern. A constitution and by-laws were adopted. R. Edwards was elected President.

Texas State Fair

DALLAS EXPOSITION. Oct. 13 to 31, inclusive, the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway will sell tickets for the above occasions at one fare for the round trip, good returning until Nov. 10. Only twenty-four hours to Dailas via the "Katy Flyer," leaving Union Station daily at 8:20 p. m. City Ticket Office, 103 North Broadway and Union Station.

HORSEWHIPPED THE DOCTOR. Miss McMillan of Pittsburg Takes a

Woman's Revenge.
PITTSBURG, PA., Oct. 22.-Dr. J. O. Flowers, chairman Anti-Cruelty Society Executive Committee, was horsewhipped on the street by Miss McMillan, recently discharged from the post of matron. The committee, which is at outs with Supt. Dorrente, had dismissed the young woman because she sided with the superintendent.

Mrs. Winslow's Scothing Syrup for dildren is the family benefactor. 25c

Skeletons Found at Mendota. MENDOTA, III., Oct. 22.—Two skeletons, fairly well preserved, and which are thought to be those of persons who succumbed to Asiatic cholera in 1854 were unearthed near the Beaverstone school. Model Cloak Co., 809 North Broadway.

Sr. Louis, Oct. 22, 1895.

Rough Materials,

Now in vogue, were never made into prettier Jackets than ours—chic, stylish, comfortable and warm are the good points that recommend them—prices so low, you can't resist buying— \$6.75 to \$35.00.

Children's Cloaks.

Have you seen them in our windows?—only a few there, many more inside-come in, styles and prices both will appeal to you \$3.50 to \$27.50.

Model Cloak Co.,

509 North Broadway, Next to Green's.

HEART DISEASE OR POISON? Life Insurance Companies Fighting the Payment of \$75,000.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22.-Several of the largest insurance companies of the United States, including the Mutual of New York, the Hartford, the Germania and the Norththe Hartford, the Germania and the Northwestern Traveling Men's, are fighting against the payment of \$75,000 of life insurance held by J. Arnold Brecher of Chicago at the time of his death, alleging that he was either poisoned or that he committed suicide. A dispatch from Milwaukee states that at the instance of the insurance companies the body has been exhumed and the stomach taken to Chicago for a chemical analysis. The result of this will be made known this week.

Brecher was found dead in bed by his son Sept. 16 last, in his apartments in the Groveland flats, Chicago. No inquest was held, as two physicians certified that death was due to valvular disease of the heart.

HANDCUFFED A BOY. One of Gotham's Finest Encounters

One of Gotham's Finest Encounters a Desperate Character.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22—Johnnie Cummings, who is 16, though he looks much younger, and who, the police say, is a "gas-house terror," and a member of the famous "gas-house" gang, was arraigned in Yorkville Court by officer Meahan, charged with disturbing a Salvation Army meeting. The boy was neatly dressed, and did not look like the terrible tough pictured by the police. The judge administered a ceture and then discharged him. As he was eaving the dock, he was grabbed by Meaian and arraigned once more on a charge of assaulting Jacob Invelovitz, who was cursued by the crowd.

"This man," said the officer, indicating he prisoner, "brutally assaulted me on the ray to the station. He kicked me in the lomach, and he was assaulting this man then I came up. I put the handcuffs on me and he resisted me all the way to the

when I came up. I put the handcuffs or him and he resisted me all the way to the Magistrate Brann looked over the benefit the diminutive prisoner, and a roar of

at the diminutive prisoner, and a roar of laughter broke from the spectators.
"You put handcuffs on that child?" asked Magistrate Brann.
"Yes; he is a desperate character."
"Well, I won't consider a charge of assault. I will fine him \$1 for disorderly conduct."

duct."
The fine was paid and his mother led the boy out of court by the hand. If each little maid from school

Would follow this golden rule: Use SOZODONT each day, Their fathers, at each year's end, Would for presents have more to spend. And less to the dentists pay.

Suffocated by Gas. ial to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-L. A. Acluche of layti, just arrived from France, was found yti, just arrived from France, was found id from gas asphyxiation in the Hotel Paris, Christopher street. It is thought man acc young foreign consulate agented suicide a short time ago.

DAILY AND SUNDAYS TOO. The "Katy Flyer," via the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway, leaves Union Station at 8:20 p. m. for points in Missouri, Kanas the Indian Territory and Texas. Ticket office, 103 North Broadway.

Forsakes the Variety Stage. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 22—Lady Shol-to Douglass, the daughter-in-law of the Marquis of Queensbury, has forsaken the variety stage, and has accepted an engage-ment with the Frawley Dramatic Co. She will make her first appearance here Thurs-day night and her salary will be \$300 a week.



MOTHERS
recovering from
the illness attending childbirth, or who suffer from the ef-fects of disorders, derangements and displace-

ments of the womanly organs, will find relief and a permanent cure in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Taken during pregnancy, the 'Prescription'

MAKES CHILDBIRTH EASY by preparing the system for parturition, thus assisting Nature and shortening "labor." The painful ordeal of child-birth is robbed of its terrors, and the dangers thereof greatly lessened, to both mother and child. The period of confinement is also greatly shortened, the

ment is also greatly shortened, the mother strengthened and built up, and an abundant secretion of nourishment for the child promoted. If THE MARRIED WOMAN

be delicate, run-down, or overworked, it worries her husband as well as herself. This is the proper time to build up her strength and cure those weaknesses, or ailments, which are the cause of her trouble. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription dispels aches and pains, melancholy and percouseness brings refreshing alexanders. and nervousness, brings refreshing sleep and makes a new woman of her.

Mrs. ABRAM LYON, of Lorraine, Jefferson Co., N. Y., writes: "I had been

To Settle the Question Once for All-Does Midweek Advertising Pay?

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9 to 10 A. M. Heavy Canton Flannel-extra 600 odd Lace Curtains, mostly 392 yards quality-worth 16c a 3c long, fine Nottingham and Scotch, as many as 3 pairs of a pattern in the lot, which is a manufacturer's odds and ends, worth up to \$2.50 a pair, Double-width finest Silesias

each Best Amoskeag Kitchen Aprons, the 20c quality, on second floor, each..

36-inch Wool Diagonal Serge, in black and all colors, worth 25c a yard, as above at....

On Sale from

Heavy 9-quarter Sheeting,

worth 20c a yard,

1 to 2 P. M.

On third floor, Galvanized Iron Coal Buckets,

On Sale from 10 to 11 A. M.

Child's Merino Vests and Pants, in white, camel's hair and natural (size 16), each..... Utica Mills yard-wide Bleached Muslin, in lengths up to 5 yards,

worth 10c a yare, a.

Buttermilk Soap, 3 cakes in a box, 50c a box, per box Double Warp Worsted Storm Serges,

in navy, black, green and brown, worth 50c a yard, Ladies' Wrappers in Best Indigo, Gray and Black Prints—made with extra full sleeves, and ruffled yokes—good value at \$1; (limited to 1 to a customer), at.......

On Sale from 11 to 12 A. M.

Best quality Fleeced Flannelettes-dark colors—Persian designs, stripes and figures—in lengths up to 8 yards, worth 121/2c a yard, at

On Sale from

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Ladies' \$1.25 quality extra fine Imported Jersey Ribbed Wool Vests and Pants-in White, Camel's Hair 25c and Natural, at.....

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From beetles black to gnawing mouse,
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St. Louis, October 17, 1895.

By resolution of the Board of Directors of The Laclede Gas Light Co. it was ordered that from and after January 1st, 1896, the price of gas be reduced to one dollar and ten cents per thousand cubic feet, and for gas used for heating ninety cents per thousand, with a discount of ten cents per thousand cubic feet, for payment on or before the tenth day of each month, making the net price

\$1.00 Per I,000 Cubic Feet,

And for heating, when used through separate meter, 80 Cents Per 1,000 Cubic Feet.

By order of the Board. A. ROSS, Secretary and General Manager.

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FIVE OR MORE RACES EACH DAY.

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DAILY AUCTION 812 Olive St., office.
At 10:30 A. M. Sharp, Consisting of Elegans Furniture, PlANOS,
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AN INVASION OF MILLIONAIRES.

Rich Men From Three Cities Coming to St. Louis.

COMMERCIAL CLUB'S GUESTS

Members of Similar Organizations in Boston, Chicago and Cincinnati to Be Entertained.

Millionaires will be nearly as plentiful as boot blacks in St. Louis to-night. They are coming from three cities, Chicago, Cincinnati and Beston.

Over \$200,000,000 will be represented— Over \$20,000,000 will be represented-forty-five millionaires and multi-million-aires in the Chicago contingent. From Boston will come twenty-five prom-nent business men, each at least, a mil-lionaire, and from Cincinnsti there will be

thirty-five.

Such a gathering of visiting wealth has not been since 1882, when the Commercial slubs of the cities named last visited 3t Louis at the invitation of the St Louis Commercial Club. That Invitation was rently renewed, and the approaching in-indation of the city with wealth is the result.

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It is well, perhaps, that not all of it
will come at once. To-night the delegates
from Cincinnati and Chicago will reach. St.
Jouls. The sudden appearance of eighty
nillionaires is enough of itself to take
one's breath away, but were it the entire
65, little would be left for such St. Louisans as are not millionaires but to gasp.
The total will be made up Wednesday
norning, when the Boston delegation is exected to arrive. Of course they will come
on special trains.

It will seem strange to those who have
to toil for their subsistence that gentiemen
of full of business as millionaries should
have the time for trip all the way from
Boston to St. Louis merely for two days of
social enjoyment. But social enjoyment is
the sole object of the present gathering and
it will be had in abundance. There will be
carriage drives, luncheons, banquets and
such other modest entertainment as is within the reach of the affluent.

From the time the visitors are received
at Union Station by the Executive Commitive of the St. Louis Commercial Club this
vening, until the last of them departs,
lext Friday, there will be one round of
pleasure and not a care.

The programme has not been completed.

The Chicago visitors, however, will be esorted to the St. Nicholas Hotel, and the
entlemen from Cincinnati to the Planters'
lotel. Wednesday morning the gentlemen
rom Boston will be entertained at the
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During Wednesday there will be drives about the city and funcheon at the St. Louis Club with the members of the latter as bests. Thursday evening there will be a banquet at the St. Nicholas Hotel, with Informal toasts.

As for the objects of the occasion, there are none, save social enjoyment. The four clubs are kindred; they are each limited to sixty members, with membership an honor not to be sought but profiered by the organization, and each has for its object the enhancement of the interests of its home city by such means as occasion may seem to require,

American beauty roses.

Grosse-Griesedieck.

A fashionable wedding of to-day will be that of Miss Antoinette Griesedieck and The Miss Antoinette Griesedieck and Miss Antoinette Griesedieck and The Anto

day evening, and many until Frithough composed principally of mil

arlos S. Greeley, larles P. Chouteau amuel Cupples, C. N. Davis, M. Dodd, eorge S. Drake, levander Euston, harles H. Filley, villiam E. Guy, S. R. Graham, lenry Hitchcock, levander E. C. Simmons, C. G. Warner.

Charged His Mother-in-Law Rent. H. E. Greenleaf and Miss A. Louise Greenleaf objected in the Probate Court to the final settlement of Enoch E. Ware as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Kate M. Henry. grandmother of the Greenleafs. Ware was Mrs. Henry's son-in-law and he charged her estate \$1,080 as board for the nine years she resided in his house. Ware claimed that as Mrs. Henry's will making him a bequest was invalid for want of her signature, the heirs agreed that he should put in his bill for board. His claim was not allowed.

Nurse Malm's Second Victim.

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Another death resulted from the grave error of August H. Malm, a nurse at the City Hospital, in administering by mistake corrosive sublimate to two patients in place of the remedy prescribed by Dr. Sutter.

Wm. H. Stephenson died Friday, and Tuesday, after suffering untold agonies for nearly a week, Charles Timm, the second victim, died.

An Inquest was held on Stephenson's body yesterday, and the jury returned a verdict of accidental death. The inquest on the body of Timm was held to-day.

Wrecked a Milk Wagon. A motor car of the Citizens' Railway collided with a milk wagon owned by Leslie Taylor about 4 a. m. at Garrison and Bell avenues. The wagon was demolished and the horse badly injured. The driver escaped.

ribbon.

A small reception will follow the ceremony at the residence of the bride, including the bride land party and the near relatives of the bride and bridegroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Champin leave at 8:40 this evening for California, where they will remain for several weeks, after which they return to 8:1 Louis and visit the bride's mother before going to the groom's home in Chicago, where they will keep house.

OCTOBER BRIDES.

A pretty edding will take place this evening a o'clock, the bride being Miss Miriam lock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abral m Block, and the bridesroom Mr. Abral m Block, and the bridesroom Mr. Abral m Block, and the brides parents, at 1015 Dillon street. The immense old saloen parlor will be decked with smilax and palm and the bridal party will stand in the deep bay window during the ceremony, which will be a bower of green and white. The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Nina Block, as maid of honor, and Miss Belle Block as bride maid. Dr. D. H. Smith being best man and Albert S. Block the only groomsman. There will be three little ficwer girls, Vivienne Long, Madeline Gates and Josephine Benesch. Rev. Dr. Leon Harrison will perform the ceremony. The bride will wear a handsome robe of cream duchesse brocaded satin, with V corsage filled in with mousseline de sole, the collar and girdle made of bride's flowers, and she will carry a boquet of white roses.

roses.

The maid of honor will wear a gown of Nile green mousseline de sole, over white silk, made with full, round skirt, high bodice and she will carry a boquet of white carnations. Miss Belle Block will wear a gown of heavy corded blue silk, trimmed with pink applique and carry La France roses.

roses.

There will be about seventy-five guests present at the wedding, and the young couple will go at once to the West End Hotel, where they will remain a few days before taking possession of their new home, 1223 East Whittier street. They will be at home Thursdays in November.

FUGITIVES CAPTURED. Alleged Thieves, Who Ran Away, Behind the Bars.

Mike Kavanaugh and George Cook, who Mike Kavanaugh and George Cook, who escaped from the patrol-house at the Chestnut Street Station on the evening of Oct. 9, just as they were about to be locked up for larceny, were arrested Tuesday at Collins and Ashley streets by Detectives Walsh and Zaleier.

STREET SIGNS-PERHAPS.

Commissioner Milner Will Ask a \$15,-000 Appropriation for That Purpose. Street Commissioner Milner will endeavor to have introduced at Tuesday's session of the Municipal Assembly a bill authorizing the Board of Public Improvements to erect signs for street names. The expense is estimated as follows: 13,400 signs at 35 cents each. \$4,690; cedar posts. \$9,715; erecting signs, 4 cents each, \$670; tools and material, \$150; total, \$15,265.

Grand Commandery Headquarters. The office of the recorder of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of the United States has been moved from the Columbia to the Security Building, where Mr. Mayo has a suite of rooms on the eighth

Two Years for Arson. George Waite pleaded guilty to arson in Judge Hirzel's court at Clayton and was sentenced to two years. Waite is the negro who set fire to Charles Grieze's residence at Florissant.

ELECTRIC CAR COLLISION -Long List of Brilliant Fall Nuptials Two Passengers Injured in a Northern George Easton and Ernest Wills Dump-This Afternoon. Central-Mound City Smash Up. ed on Hildebrand Hill.

Miss May A. Lindsley, only daughter of Mrs. De Courcy Lindsley of 5514 Lucas avenue, and sister of the well-known actor, Mr. Guy Lindsley, will be married at 6 o'clock in Central Presbyterian Church, to Mr. William R. Champlin of Chicago.

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William R. Champlin of Chicago.

The bride will be attended by Miss Blanche
Morgan as maid of honor, Misses Grace and
Morgan as maid of honor in the bride
maids. The groomsmen will be Messrs
Fred and Charlie Champlin, brothers of the
bridegroom, from Chicago, Will Foster, Will
Pope and Clarkson Carpenter, who will act
as ushers, Mr. Gregory from Chicago being
best man. This will be a pure white wedding, the decorations all being made of smiding, the decorations all being the brider

The accident happened in a peculiar manThe sa

view to carrying out the idea of a pure white wedding.

Owing to the unavoidable absence of the bride's eideat brother she will enter, the church leaning upon the arm of her second brother. Dr. Lindsley, who will give her away, her mother, Mrs. De Courry Lindsley, entering upon the arm of the bridegroom.

The bride will wear a gown of heavy white as lin. duchesse, the point lace with which it is adorned being an heirloom in the family, the skirt en train, the corsage high, and her long tulle veil will be fastened with a bandeau of gold set in the center with a sunburst of diamonds, a gift of the bridegroom. She will carry a shower boquet of white orchids tied with white ribbon.

The bridemalds will wear gowns of white silk, draped with imported gauze, with Louis XIV. coats of white brocaded satin and white pompons in their hair. They will carry shower bouquets of white carnatians, tied with yards and yards of white baby ribbon.

A small reception will follow the ceremony

ARRESTED IN BOSTON.

Serious Charge Against Student George Fresch, Jr., of St. Louis.

Four years ago George Fresch, Jr., son of George Fresch of 3238 Bailey avenue, who is very wealthy, entered upon a course at the Boston Institute of Technology.

before going to the groom's home in Chicago, where they will keep house.

Churchill—Hall.

Another wedding of importance to-day will be that of Miss Mabel H. Hall and Mr. Winston Churchill of New York.
The bride is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Orrick, with whom she has resided for years, and the bridegroom is late of the United States navy and at present assistant editor of the "Cosmopolitan Magizine." The cremony will take place at 8 o'clock this evening at the residence of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Beverly Allen of 1410 East Grand avenue.

The bride will be attended by her cousin, Misses Floreuce Orrick, Sturgeon, Lulu Pope and Mary Semple Scott as brides—malds. The groomsmen will be Messrs. Allen C. Orrick, Louis M. Hall, Charles will be best man.
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The bridemaids will wear gowns of white taffeta silk, with fichus of white chiffon made after the popular Marie Antolnette style, crosses on the breast and at the waist, and they will carry bouquets of American beauty roses.

Grosse-Griesedieck.

BURNED IN HIS OWN HAY.

Farmer Chris Bender's Painful Experience While Driving to Town.

Swathed in bandages, destitute of eye prows, whiskers and hair and with severa breaks in the continuity of his epidermis Chris Bender, aged 60, lies at the home of John Schwenn, at Rock Hill, on the Manchester road. Monday he started to St. Louis with a load

Monday he started to St. Louis with a load of hay. He had risen early and he was sleepy. He lit a cigar, but the smoke falled to dissipate the clouds in his brain. He dropped asleep and the cigar dropped into the hay. Presently the spark was fanned into a fiame and the horses were drawing a bon-fire instead of a hay wagon. Bender was in the midst of the fire and would probably have burned to death if John Schwenn had not stopped the team and dragged the old man out of the flames. As it was, Bender was so badly scorched that he could not be taken home.

BRICKMAKERS' STRIKE.

Trouble Among Union Workmen at Glen Garbon, Ill.

The brickmakers of the St. Louis Press Brick Company at Glen Carbon, Ill., are on a strike.

charge of two men last Friday. The other men, who are members of the Brick Workers' Union, to the number of eighty, quit work. The secretary of the St. Louis Pressed Brick Company went to Glen Carbon Mon-day evening and no information could be gained at the office of the company. A long drawn out strike is anticipated on both sides.

HABITUAL CRIMINAL.

Seven Days Out of the Penitentiary and Arrested for Theft. John Howard, aged 68, out of the Missour enitentiary just seven days, was arreste Monday on the charge of robbing A. S. Mann's residence, 1109 Channing avenue. Howard admits it, and Chief Desmond says he will try to send Howard back to the Penitentiary for life as an habitual criminal. He says he has spent over half his life in penitentiaries.

Phil Brockman's Will. Phill Brockman's Will.

Phills Brockman, the commission merchant, by his will, left \$100,000 and the homestead at 27 Nicholson place to his wife. Emma, and she and Henry Rohde and Henry Kaiser are to hold the remainder of the estate in trust for the testator's five children until the youngest is 25 years old.

As the children become of age they are to receive \$5,000 in the P. Brockman Commission of this is to be in addition to the COASTERS BADLY INJURED.

George Easton and Ernest Wills, both well-known local cyclists, will not take a spin through the country on their wheels for some time to come, but will probably spend the better part of the next two weeks in bed. In bed.

Sunday morning Easton and Wills, on a tandem, and Walter Grath, on a single wheel, started out on a country tour. No accident happened in the morning, and about noon they arrived at the home of Mrs. Biga Hildebrand, some twenty-five miles from St. Louis, and stopped for dinner. After an hour's rest they again started on their ride. Mrs. Hildebrand's house is at the top of a steep hill, and down



GEORGE EASTON.

this the cyclists started to coast. The incline is a gravel road and rough. When about half way down the frame of the tandem broke down while the riders were going at full speed. Both were thrown to the ground. As soon as Grath could stop his wheel he returned to his companions and found them suffering from painful cuts on their faces and heads. After making them as comfortable as he could he rode back to Mrs. Hildebrand's house and secured help to bring the injured men to the house. They were put to bed and medical assistance sent for.

It was found necessary to take ten stitches in Easton's face, and six in Wills'. That evening Grath brodght his injured companions back to the city en the train. Easton lives at \$33! Franklin avenue, and Wills at \$30! Washington avenue. This morning both were resting easy and as no bones were broken hope to be out in a week or two.

week or two.

Wills is well known as a rider, having been or the track for some time, and much is expected from him in the future, as he is hily 19 years old.

George Easton is 23 years of age, and two years ago while a wiember of the Pastima Club rode from here to San Francisco and return with George Alvord.

AN INDIAN UPRISING.

Trouble on the Expesition Reservation Caused by a Watchman.

The Exposition was the scene of excitement early Sunday morning.

John D. Miller, sergeant of the night watchmen at the Exposition, tried to lead astray Wee Hunkah Makee Chokah, the

astray Wee Hunkah Makee Chokah, the comely li-year-old daughter of Chief Green Cloud of Buck Taylor's Sloux band, in realistic civilized fashion.

Wee Hunkah strayed a short distance from the camp in the Exposition basement Sunday afternoon and met the wicked pale-face, John Miller, who entertained insidious designs against the dusky maiden. Miller was considerably under the influence of fire-water and with him carried a quart

ous designs against the dusky maiden. Miller was considerably under the influence of fire-water and with him carried a quart flask of the same seductive liquid, which he tried to induce the red-skinned maiden to imbibe. She had seen many a stalwart brave laid on his broad back from indulgence in the fire-water of the paleface, however, and getting "next" to Miller's little game she refused to partake.

The hot and rebellious liquors Miller had applied to his blood and the charms of the daughter of Green Cloud were too much for the watchman's prudence, though the frosts of sixty winters have left their imprint on his head.

Seizing the comely Wee Hunkah in his arms he pressed several kisses of equatorial temperature upon her vermillion face and ruby lips. The girl repulsed him, and yelling at the top of her voice drew her valiant father. Green Cloud, to the rescue. Flourishing his tomahawk in one hand and his scalping knife in the other, he chased old Miller around the building. But for the interference of Night Doorkeeper J. P. Keller. Miller's scalp would have dangled at Green Cloud's belt. As the matter now stands it hangs from Manager Galennie's, figuratively speaking. After hearing of the affair Mr. Galennie discharged Miller.

Miller lives at 1218 Victor street, is 60 years old and has been employed at the Exposition for ten years. At first he was a watchman, but afterwards promoted to sergeant of the night force, which consists of ten watchmen.

Buck Taylor and his Sloux band expect to forsake the Exposition camp to-morrow on their journey towards the rising sun.

HE GOT OFF LIGHT.

Charles Hilliard Given One Year for Ruining Eleanor Kline.

There is some excitement in St. Louis Brick Company at Glen Carbon, Ill., are on Strike.

The strike was brought on by the distribution of the case of Charles Hilliard, who ruined Eleanor Kline, the 14-year-old daughter of Ben Kline, who resides at Hillside, west of DeHodiamont.
Hilliard is about 30 years old and was sewing machine agent. While at Kline's sewing machine agent. While at Kline's house he debauched the girl and last June she gave birth to a child. Hilliard was charged with rape because of the infancy of his victim, but it developed that she had passed her fourteenth birthday when the offense was committed and Prosecuting Attorney Heldorn, holding that a conviction for the offense charged could not be secured, entered a noile proacqui and permitted Hilliard to plead to a misdemeanor for immorality. On this plea_Justice Wengler gave him one year in the Work-house.

The appearance of the firl in court with her bisby in her arms inflamed the populace against Hilliard and there was some talk of supplementing the Work-house sentence by lynching him, but no effort in that direction was made.

Hilliard has been put to work on the rockpile at Clayton.

Ten Years in the Penitentiary. Alice Smith, colored, who shot Danny Haynes, colored, at Second and Valentine streets Oct. 18, pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree Monday and was given ten years in the Penitentiary.

Hon. Seth Cobb Will Return. Hon. Seth W. Cobb, who is now in London, announces in a letter to Mr. T. M. Rogers that he intends to sail for America on the 25th inst., and will probably reach St. Louis by Nov. 2

BONES OF SHATNERS. Oscar W. Collet Discusses the Sto Graves at Brentwood.

Graves at Brentwood.

The stone graves discovered by Thomas Madden on his property near Brentwood, St. Louis County, are relies of Shawnee Indians, in the opinion of Mr. Oscar W. Collet, for many years secretary of the Missouri Historical Society and a well-known archaeologist.

The discoverers of the grave say that the bones lay in a bed, of fire clay which filled the coffins, and Thomas Madden, on whose property the discovery was made, had to use a pick to dig out the skeletons, bone by bone. Monday morning all that was left of a grown person and a child belonging to some forgotten race lay in an old soap box. The bones have crumbled very much from frequent handling.

The stone slabs which formed the sides, ends and bottoms of the two coffins are about an inch thick and were laid together with skill and precision. They were fitted together almost as neatly as the boards of a present day coffin. This fact and the use of the fire clay to preserve the remains were taken as preofs that the occupants of the graves were not Indians, but belonged to a race that preceded the red man and was ahead of him in certain peaceful arts.

The graves were on a small hill in a field about 100 yards south of the New Manchester road, and just off the north and south road within a stone's throw of the Houseman air line power, house.

Thomas Madden, owner of the property, is grading it in order to build twenty houses. The coffins were about two feet below the surface, but were probably lower when buried, as the field has been cultivated for seventy-five years.

No grading was done Monday and no further discoveries made, but it is believed that there are other prehistoric graves in the vicinity.

"The Shawnees were a roving tribe," said Mr. Collet in discussing the subject; "and

of the Mississippi as far South at New Madrid. Below that no stone graves are found.

"These graves were made in this way: A hole was dug and rough slabs of stone were stuck along the sides and ends just as they came from the ledge. Several pieces were needed to line a side of the grave. Sometimes the bottom of a grave was paved with stones and oftentimes not. The bodies were usually put in naked, and as a rule pieces of beautiful pottery were placed inside or alongside of the stone coffins. The body was not imbedded in fire clay, as the reports say was the case in the discovery made at Brentwood. The rains of many years drive the soil through the crevices of the stone coffin and into the nostrils and vacant eyeholes of the skeleton. As a result of this action I have found skulls so filled with hard earth that only the use of water for a consderable period could clean them out. I have no doubt that what was called fire clay by the discoverers of the stone grave near Brentwood was only ordinary soil, which became hard after being washed into the coffin.

"No one can say when the Shawnees were in St. Louis county. When St. Louis was founded in 1764 there were no Indians residing in the neighborhood. There was an Indian village near the Arsenal, but the inhabitants were only a band of wanderers. "It is worthy of note that American archaectory had its birth in the discovery of a stone grave in St. Louis county. In 1819 Capt. Lang. a United States army officer, led an expedition into the West, and while camped on the Merame river, where Fenton is located, he found a stone grave. Further investigation revealed that there there was a cemetery filled with stone graves on the river bank.

"In Cole, Osage and Johnson counties there are large stone graves, each filled with eight and ten bodies."

to the Union M. E: church if the grantees neglect to improve it within a given space of time.

But there is no danger of this. The Lindell M. E. church had arrangements completed for a new church before the site was accepted. It will be a massive rock structure, having a front of 100 feet on the 180-foot lot. A tall tower will reach skyward from the main building 50 feet. The auditorium will be the largest in the city. The building will be completed by next spring.

Business Property Sold.

business property.

The three-story building No. 421 North Seventh street, lot 20x70 feet, lying 30 feet south of St. Charles street, was sold to Price Lane for \$25,500. The building on the site will be removed and a handsome store structure erected. The lessee of the old building has agreed to lease the proposed new structure for ten years.

That the business area and the so-called down-town district is rapidly spreading was again demonstrated by a sale closed Tuesday by the M. A. Wolff Realty company. The Jesse French Plano and Organ company. located at Tenth and Olive streets, purchased a lot 90x109 feet on Olive streets, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, for \$65,000.

The property was owned by John Lumsden and is improved with a three-story-store and apartment building. The purchasers will remodel the structure and locate a branch of the business there.

Real Estate Exchange.

A general meeting of the stockholders of the Real Estate Exchange and agents who intend to become members of that body, will be held on November II, for the pur-pose of reorganizing. This was decided upon by the Board of Directors of the Ex-change at a meeting held Monday evening. Several plans are to be considered, but the principal move will be to reduce the initia-tion fee and annual dues.

Walnut Park Special Sale.

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One of the most important special sales of the fall season will take place Wednesday at Walnut Park. From 10 a. m. until sunset T. P. Bell, the well-known realty dealer, and his many assistants will show visitors around and explain terms. To a Post-Dispatch reporter he said that lots would be sold at from \$5 to \$20 a front foot. This popular north end subdivision boasts of a public school, churches and 50 beautiful residences. It is convenient to five lines of cars, the North Grand line, North Eighteenth street, Union Depot line, Mound City and the Bellefontaine. The place is highly improved, having made streets and walks, and a beautiful promenade park.

Hart Forrest—quitelaim deed.

CABOLINE ST.—25 feet, city block 1811, A.

L Lysie to;Geo. F. Ernst—warranty.

RUSSELL AV.—50 feet, city block 4951.

Hanors Healy et al. to Geo. J. Bernewarranty deed.

ST. VINCENT AV.—25 feet, city block 2149.

H. Gatache to Pauline Seidel—warranty...

HUMAN LIFE IN PERIL

A New Disease Dangerously Prevalent.

Heart Failure Recognized the Most Deadly Complaint.

All the Danger Comes From a Weak Heart,

And a Weak Heart Always Comes From Weak Nerves.

Fortify Your Heart and Nerves Against the Dangers.

Of late a new disease has developed from our latter-day civilization-a disease unheard of a few years ago-known as heart failure. So common are sudden deaths, people dropping dead without apparent cause on our streets, in offices, shops and factories, that the Boston Herald stated editorially that "we seem to be in the midst of an epidemic of sudden deaths," and the Boston Record voices the cry of the public when it asks: "What is the cause of the great number of sudden deaths, and what is the remedy?"

The deaths come from heart failure, and the cause of heart failure is weak nerves. It is plainly evident that if people, by overwork, fret, worry, dissipation or excesses, break down their nervous systems, nerve weakness must result.

It is not singular, therefore, that the heart is the first organ to suffer the result of nerve weakness. A nervous irritation of the heart is the first symptom experienced, causing irregular beating, rush of blood to the head, flushed face, cold feet and extremities, with nervousness and tired feeling. After a time, dizziness, giddiness, swimming of the head, dimness of vision, sudden strange faint feelings, followed by a sinking sensation in the left chest or at the pit of the stomach. As the disease progresses there are trembling sensations, palpitation or fluttering in the left side of the chest, shortness of breath, especially after exertion stooping or going up stairs. The suftion, stooping or going up stairs. The suf-ferer will be drowsy daytimes and wakeful

three years ago.
"I found I had to do something quick, and reading of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, got and took the medicine. I

Despite the rainy weather business was brisk on the street Tuesday. R. Park von Wedelstaedt closed an important sale of business property.

The three-story building No. 421 North

Two Hundred Feet in the Air and Couldn't Get Down The snapping and breaking of wires, fol-

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THE UNION

To the Clothing Buyers of St. Louis:

We wish to say, and say it emphatically, that if you contemplate buying anything in the way of wearing apparel, and buy it before examining our Specials, you are surely stand-

ing in your own light. Remember, we are selling high-grade Clothing at prices you have been in the habit of

paying for inferior goods. We show a beautiful line of all-wool ribbed Cheviots in single and double-breasted Sacks and 3-button Cutaways at

\$10.00.

See our line of Auburn Mel-ton, Gray or Black Homespuns, Silk Mixtures, Fancy Scotch Effects, and beautiful Broken Plaids, everything that is new and every one of them in the height of fashion, at

\$15.00

Men's Overcoats-A line of All-wool Meltons, Kerseys, Friezes and Beavers, in styles and colors, at

\$10.00.

Imported Kerseys, Meltons and Irish Frieze, some Clay lined, some heavy silk shoulders, all styles, well worth \$20.00, at

\$15.00. We close at 6:30 evenings. Honey refunded.

THE UNION. 720-722 Olive St.

IN Matter of the Assignment of Phoenix Building and Losn Association No. 1—Notice is hereby given that A. R. Schollmeyer and F. A. Banister, assignees of Phoenix Building and Loan Association. No. 1, have filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court. City of St. Louis, a statement of the accounts of their trust to the October term, 1895, of said court, together with proper couchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said Court in room No. 3 on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1895, unless good cause to contrary be shown. (Seal)

THOS. B. RODGERS.

4502 Clerk Circuit Court, City of St. Louis.

costly new edges."

Will Be Erected on Lindell Avenue, Near Taylor.

Plans have been drawn by the Lindell M. E. church for the erection of a costly ediffice on Lindell avenue, between Taylor and E. church for the erection of a costly ediffice on Lindell avenue, between Taylor and New stead.

The church trustees acquired this property, which is valued at 3150 a front foot, Tuesday from the Union M. E. church, who donated it for the mere cost of filing and recording the transfer.

There is a clause in the transfer which provides that the property shall revert back to the Union M. E. church had been transfer. "About two years ago I was in a very bad to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had arrangements completed to the Union M. E. church had a respect to improve it within a given space of the control of the test of the union M. E. church had a respect to improve it within a given space of the control of the test of the union M. E. church had a respect to improve it within a given space of the control of the test of the union M. E. church had a respect to improve it within a given space of the control of the defence of the control of the test of the union of the heart is was very weak and did what work it was to the control of the test of the union of the heart is was of the sate of health, and from the action of the heart is was very weak and did what work it was in a very bad state of health, and from the action of the heart is was very weak and did what work it was in a very bad state of health, and fro

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forencou and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

st. Louis, October 21, 1895.

"I can truthfully say that it is the best remedy that I know of, and I gladly recommend it to others, and shall be pleased to answer any inquiries as I often have done." This grand remedy for heart and nerves is not a patent medicine, but the prescription of the most successful living specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, as the largest practice in the world, and this grand medical discovery is the result of his year experience. The great reputation of Dr. Greene is a guarantee that this medicine will cure, and the fact that he can be consulted by anyone at any time, free of charge, personally or by letter, gives absolute assurance of the beneficial action of this wonderful medicine.

FITZGERALD'S CLOSE CALL

St. Louis, October 21, 1895.

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Blacksmith Henry Berling Fatally. Blacksmith Henry Berling sat on the blacksmith Heary Berling sat on the porch railing at a friend's house in Ferguson, St. Louis County, Sunday evening with his feet twined about a balluster. His weight was too much for the ballustrade and it gave way, precipitating him to the ground, fiften feet below.

His neck and spine were injured and he died Monday evening.

WOMAN'S GREATEST ENEMY-SICK HEAD-

DECLINE TO

The Court of Appeals Won't Order the School Election.

IT HAS NO JURISDICTION.

The Petitioners Advised to Go to the Supreme Court as the Only Competent Tribunal.

In the proceedings for a writ of man-damus against the St. Louis School Board, compelling the holding of an election of directors, the Court of Appeals Tuesday unanimously desired to issue the writ, on the ground of no-jurisdiction. Application will now be made to the Supreme Court. The full text of the decision is as follows:

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"We are petitioned by a number of citicates to issue a writ of madamus against the Standard of President and Directors of the Standard of President and Directors of the Standard captires next month. The question presented is one of grave of the board, expires next month. The question presented is one of grave of which every citin of the municipality is deeply interested, and one involving silke the duties of the board and the directors. Whose term under the law and the month of the Electoral Commission. The petition presented is one of grave of the writ. If notwithstanding all these facts we umanimously decline to issue the writ, it is due from us to the citizens of this city that we state our reasons for so the write. If no not the substitution with the power to issue such writes in limitation, the question of the construction of the Constitution of the American Jovernment could not have a state Depart. In another dispatch the State Departs and write the construction of the Constitution of the American Jovernment countrate of the write and the country and the state of the state of th

recommend to the people a constitutional amendment designed to remedy the existing evil.

"For our own protection and that of the unwary litigant, we adopted the following rule: No original remedial writs, excepting such as are in aid of the appellate jurisdiction of this court, and excepting also writs of habeas corpus and prohibition, will hereafter be issued by this court or any of the judges thereof, except in cases where the application for such writs oannot be effectually presented to the Circuit court or to the Supreme court or some judge thereof."

"As original remedial writs, with the exception of the writ of habeas corpus, are not writs or right, the propriety of adopting this rule under the circumstances above stated will not be gainsayed.

"We are assured by the counsel for relators in this case that no jurisdictional question is likely to be raised therein challenging the jurisdiction of this court. It will suffice to say in reply that as jurisdiction of the subject matter cannot be waived, an assurance of that kind can be of little weight even as affecting the party making it, and of still less weight as affecting the opposite party, who is not even morally bound by it. But we are prepared to advance more substantial reasons for not entertaining the writ. The respondent's refusal to hold the election can in the nature of things be stantial reasons for not entertaining the writ. The respondent's refusal to hold the election can in the nature of things be predicated only on the grounds that either the Legislature has made no sufficient provision to enable the citizens of St. Louis to vote at the contemplated election, and hence impliedly postponed the election, or if the law contemplated holding of such an election, it is in derogation of the citizen's franchise as an elector, as defined by the second section of the eighth article of the Constitution. Hence we could not decide the question presented in favor of relators without construing that section of the Constitution. And thus eyen if a constitutional objection to our jurisdiction were not interposed, a decision in favor of relators would necessarily involve a construction of the constitution of the State, and a decision in favor of the adverse party might involve it.

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"The questions involved are of sufficient importance to apply for their solution at once to the Supreme Court, which court alone is in a position to make a final and authoritative decision. It is, therefore, within the meaning of our rule not a case where the application cannot be effectually presented to that court, but one which can effectually only be presented there. Being satisfied that the application, even if entertained by us, would lead only to the progratination of the final decision of the question, we must decline to issue the writ."

DEMENTED SCHOLASTIC.

in our favor the other side declines to pay."

The St. James Gazette then instances the Alabama, Delagoa Bay and Bering Sea dispute, and in support of its contention that international ribunals usually find against England and the weight of evidence.

More attention is attracted now than formerly to the utterances of the St. James Gazette against arbitrating the dispute, as this newspaper seems to have had somewhat of the inside track throughout in Venezuelan news here, and it is therefore believed to have been inspired by a high Government official thoroughly familiar with the subject and aware of the policy to be followed by the Marquis of Salisbury.

The St. James Gazette then instances the HARD COAL GOES UP.

Wew York Anthracit e Companies Push Up Their Prices.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The New York anthracite coal companies have advanced by prices to-day to the following basis: Grate. It is the fighest wholessie circular yet made and anticipates the proposed advance on Thursday next by the Philadelphia companies.

BEFORE THE REVOLUTION.

Seven Stars Tavern, Burned Monday Night, Was Built.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 22.—The old Seven Stars Tavern in East Vincent Town-ship, Chester County, together with the sta-bles, was burned last night.

bles, was burned last night.

The Seven Stars Tavern was one of the oldest landmarks in the country. It was built long before the revolution, and it was a famous stopping place for travelers going from Philadelphia to Baltimore. The old tavern was the scene of many a stirring event during the revolution. Washington and his generals often stopped there. Nearby is a monument that marks the graves of many soldiers of the revolution who died in the old Pikeland Church when it was used as a hospital.

DOWN ON BAYARD.

Curtly Cut Off in an Interview With the Premier.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-The London cor

constitutions and beyond the jurisdiction of the Court of Appeals.
Attorney Ford Smith, employed by Coyle to oprosecute Chandler, resisted a transfer of the case on the theory that there was no judgment entered against Chandler when the motion was made. The Court held otherwise.

Chandler was convicted on April 30 last, and moved to have his case transferred to the Supreme Court on May 2.

PUGNACIOUS JERSEY WOMAN. It Required Several Men to Arrest

Brawny Mrs. Mouston. Special to The Post-Dispatch

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-Mrs. Jane Houston of Montclair, N. J., has demonstrated her ability to vindicate the physical prowess of her sex. Mrs. Houston is over 6 feet high and is sound of wind and limb. Not long ago she horsewhipped a young Bloomfeld man for calling her out of her name. Yesterday she raised a dispute with Robert Hickman about the ownership of a pipe that he was laying in a trench. As she could see no better solution of the difficulty, she began to enforce her claims upon Hickman's head and shoulders with his own shovel. Thereupon Hickman had her arrested. The officer went too close to her, and the abdomen. The woman was picked up bodily by several men, among whom was a son of Chief of Poice J. B. Pier. As young Pier grabbed hold of the prisoner she landed as left-hander on his nose with such force as to send him reeling into a corner. Recorder Morris held the pugnacious woman for the action of the Grand-jury. of her sex, Mrs. Houston is over 6 feet high

BETWEEN TWO PERILS.

Ritualism and Undue Liberality Discussed by Episcopal Bishops.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 22.-The two Houses of the Episcopal Convention met in joint session this afternoon as the final act of a very busy three weeks' session. The pastoral letter prepared by the Bishops was read by Bishop Littlejohn of Long Island. A paragraph is devoted to the heroic self-sacrifice of the missionaries in China and to a justification of the church's policy

Mysterions Disappearance and Reappearance of A. P. Van Antwerp.

Arthur P. Van Antwerp, a scholastic at M. Xavier's College, Grand avenue and Lindell boulevard, disappeared from that institution Sunday night.

Monday night the faculty of the university reported the young man's absence to the police. Tuesday about noon Van Antwerp returned to the university. He was slooking pale and haggard and could give no account of his whereabouts during his absence. He is supposed to be deranged.

OPPOSE ARBITRATION.

Comment of London Papers on the Veneuela, and in the same tone as yesterday, and in the same tone as yesterday, and in the same tone as yesterday, and in the same tone as yesterday. The St. James Gazette, for example, declares itself to be opposed to arbitration in any form, saying: "Arbitration not only does not apply to the present dispute, but is the usual thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun thing when there is recourse to this kind of international tribune, for the sun third town the sun the sun thing the sun the



HE HAS MONEY

Heary W. Chandler's Case Transferred Fortune Has Smiled on Mike Whitty of St. Louis.

JUST LIKE BARNEY BARNATO.

It was something like seventeen years ago when he first created a furor in trade circles. He engaged in business with a man named Gibbons, and Gibbons & Whitty engineered a successful corner on oats, which netted the young firm the nandsome sum of \$40,000. This success turned their heads, and as thousands have done before they invested heavily in other directions, and within a year after their first success the firm of Gibbons & Whitty was penniless, and was forced to retire from the arena.

Afterward Mike engaged in the brokerage business, and experienced many ups and downs (principally downs), though he always managed to keep his head above water. During these years he wooed and married a charming daughter of Leon Pomerode, now dead, a freece artist, who had decorated many of the finer churches and halls of the city. His bride was handsome and distinguished, and always moved in good society. For some reason Mr. and Mrs. Chitty did not live happily together, and difficulties were aired in the newspapers. No definite charges were preferred by either and the general opinion was that no trouble save incompatibility existed.

Mike also had a little experience with the law, but from which he emerged slightly injured. He was charged with having taken some money from a customer without the customer's knowledge or consent. Whether the charge was true or not, Mr. Whitty was not prosecuted and the matter was settled out of court.

After this he left St. Louis and went to South Africa, where he became imbued with the idea that a fortune awaited him if he could get sufficient capital to back him. Four or five years ago he returned to St. Louis acquaintances with the scheme. He showed them how fabulous fortunes would result from judicious investments, and although he pictured the business in the most glowing terms, the St. Louis men declined to take stock in the enterprise.

Mr. Whitty, however, believed in the teasibility of his schemes and he left St. Louis declaring that he would yet prove his judgment was good, and alo

judgment was good, and alone he would make a fortune.

The story as it now reaches St. Louis is that Mr. Whitty has succeeded beyond his most extraordinary expectations, and within the five years that he has spent in the diamond fields and gold mines he has cleared upwards of \$25,000,000. It is also reported that he has purchased a London home in Kenyston, England, at a cost of \$500,000, and will reside there in the future.

BAD LUCK IN THE WEST.

Farmer Smith Raynor's Experience in Growing Up With the Country.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Two weary-looking horses drew a dilapidated wagon through Jamalca. L. I., yesterday en route from Fort Scott, Kan., to Greenport, L. I. In it were Smith Raynor, who went West thirty years ago to grow up with the country, and five young children—two boys and three girls. They slept over night in their wagon under a Jamalca hotel shed. Sympathetic people provided them with supper.

Raynor has had an unhappy Western experience. He did well at first, became the owner of a farm and married. Misfortune, recently overtook him, however. Locusts and other pests destroyed last season's crops and fire swept away his barns and other buildings last winter. His wife became ill this summer and he decided to return East.

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SMOKE ABATEMENT.

of Vigorous Prosecution

The city authorities, at the request of the Smoke Abatement Association, have re-duced the time limit for smoke prosecutions and in future the owners of smoke stacks

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Gold Mines.

Mrs. Michael Whitty, who for the past five years has been living with her mother, and the fact leaded to prosecute only in cases where will have been deaded to the surface of the sum of a hundred to live street, has sailed for England, accompanied by her mother and two children, where they will join Mr. Whitty, who is reported to have made a fortune of \$35,000,000 in the diamond fields and gold mines of South Africa. The story of the trials and vicissitudes of Mr. Whitty and the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final acquisition of a fortune estimated at \$35,000,000 cannot fail to arouse interest, and the fact that he between the sum of the final control of the sum of the final cont no device had been brought to the attention of the Smoke Commission which would abate smoke while permitting bricks to be burned. The time limit has long since expired and evidence was produced yesterday to show that there is now in use at one of the largest brick yards a device which abates the smoke and reduces the consumption of coal in a satisfactory manner. Steps were accordingly ordered taken to solicit the co-operation of brick-makers in the movement, and after a reasonable time the law will be allowed to take its course. This will abate a nuisance to which attention has been frequently called in the Post-Dispatch, especially in connection with Forest Park.

Arrangements were also made for extending the work of the Abatement Association to steam locomotives, which are included in the ordinance. Some locomotives are already equipped with devices which do good work, but the majority are not. A great deal of the unpleasantness in the tunnel will be removed as a result of this decision.

In regard to the recent decision of Judge

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In regard to the recent decision of Judge Murphy, that individual nuisance must be proved to secure conviction, legal decisions were quoted showing this to be contrary to the decisions of the Supreme Courts of dissouri and Illnois and also contrary to be decisions given by Judge Murphy himelf. Arrangements were made for securing reversal of the decision by the Supreme court. In the meantime people living or oing business near offensive chimneys will estipate the annoyance this may cause will ave to continue until Julge Murphy's ruling is reversed.

Pains
in your Back, your Muscles, your Joints, your Head, and all diseases of Impure Blood, are caused by sick kidneys.
Sick kidneys can be cured, strengthened, revitalized by

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Write for pamphlet. HOBB'S MEDICINE CO., CHICAGO. SAN FRANCISCO.

PLANS ADOPTED. Used His Influence in Favor of Architect Mann.

NOONAN HAD THE

HALL INVESTIGATION.

Story of Archite ct James McGrath, Now Dead, to President McMath, Which Begins to Let in Light.

Now that President McMath, of the Board of Public Improvements, has started out to probe the new City Hall scandal to the bottom, interesting developments may be looked for from day to day. He has already discovered that the original plans are missing, as well as the record of the new City Hall Commission, which should detail all the negotiations pending the acceptance of the plans.

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President McMath has reached the conclusion that, if such record was ever kept, it has been lost or destroyed. In order that this deficiency may be in a measure repaired, Secretary Foster of the Board of Public Improvements has been instructed to compile from the municipal records a complete history of the new City Hall movement, from its inception to the present time. He has already entered upon this task, which will require about ten days, and will then be necessarily deficient. Still it will serve as a guide to investigations that are sure to come.

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Mr. McMath made a statement in this connection Tuesday morning, that is sure to start the pot to boiling. It implicates a certain faction of the Noonan regime, which was in power at the time the plans for the new City Hall were adopted. He gives the statement as coming from James McGrath, the architect, now dead. McGrath made the statement to McMath shortly before his death.

It will be remembered that Prof. Wear of Yale College was paid \$1,000 to examine and pass upon the plans submitted. Out of about thirty he selected six as coming within the scope of the contemplated expenditure and being practicable. A plan known as Pro Patra ranked first and one known as St. Louis, 1892, ranked sixth. St. Louis, 1892, was the plan finally adopted, and much light is thrown on its adoption by McGrath's statement to President McMath, which is now published for the first time.

Col. Flad was at that time president of the

that it could never be recognised as the original of the incompleted structure that now stands on Twelfth street. All sorts of changes were made to suit the convenience of contractors. The building was to have cost \$1,000,000, with an allowance of 15 per cent more for emergencies. But the contractors never made their calculations on the \$1,000,000 cost basis, but figured on the 15 per cent additional.

Mr. McMath's revelations stop here for the present, but he promises more in the near future.

CITY LOSES \$50,000.

Report of Mr. Gaylor on Steelwork in the New City Hall.

According to the report of Deputy Stree Commissioner Gayler, which was complete at noor. Tuesday, the city has lost abou is held by the Koken Iron Works.

As soon as his report was finished, Mr. Gayler submitted it to Mr. Milner, who, in turn, laid it immediately before the Board of Public Improvements in committee of the whole. The board, after some discussion, decided to conduct a full and complete in-

whole. The Statu, after decided to conduct a full and complete investigation.

Here is Mr. Gayler's report in full:

A. N. Milner, Street Commissioner.

DEAR SIR—I herewith respectfully Submit a report on the steel work of the fourth floor, ceiling and roof of the new City Hall, in accordance with your letter of the Ist inst., and under verbal direction from the President of the Board of Public Improvements.

This work was advertised for the first time in November, 1882, but none of the bids received were accepted. In February, 1898, it was given in contract to the Keken Iron Works of this city.

The specifications for the first advertisement provided for a very substantial roofing, consisting of two-inot tiling laid between steel purit a and two layers of felting, on which the Spanish tilings for the steep part of the roof and the state for the flat roof were to have been laid in cement. A compliste set of plans of the steel work had been prepared by the architect of the building, and those plans, consisting of six large sheets, were signed on Nev. 24, 1822, by the President of the Board of Pub-

Improvements, the question of the Before entering into the question of the Before entering into the question of the steel-rk of the fourth floor to be open to the me criticism in regard to lack of strength d rigidity as the other floors.



NAPOLEON.

the conqueror of worlds, died in 1821, 25 years before Pond's Extract. the conqueror of pain. was discovered. Napoleon's greatness dimmed with his years; Pond's Extract's greatness in-

RACT WILL Sore Throat, Frost CURE Bites, Lameness, Wounds, Piles, Earachs, Sprains, Sore Eyes, Hoarseness, as, Soreness, Burns, Bruises, Sore Feet, and Hemorrhages,

ers Committee of more than ordinary interest.

Mr. Paul Peltier, a High School professor, who served just one night as principal of the Irving Polytechnic Evening School, was replaced by Mr. Charles G. Rathman, originally named for the principalship of the Cawoll night school.

Mr. Caesar Bumiller was then appointed principal of the Carroll night school, a position he has held for five sessions.

At last Tuesday's meeting of the School Board Mr. Hequembours moved to amend the Teachers Committee report by substituting Mr. Bumiller for Mr. Peltier as principal of the irving night school. Mr. Spinning seconded the motion and Mr. Collins made the point that the only action possible was the reference of the Peltier appointment back to the Teachers Committee. Monday night Mr. Bumiller's friends said they wanted him back at the Carroll School and Mr. Peltier was sacrificed. He was promised the first vacancy as drawing teacher in the evening schools.

Mr. William H. McClain, a member of the Teachers Committee, said in commenting on the committee's course: "A person need only be a German or have a map of Ireland on his face to find favor with the board."

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STORE—For sale, cigar store; now clearing \$00 per month; price, \$425 cash. 1103 Chestnut st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good, quick girl for general housework, immediately. 3038 Lucas av.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Parties desiring the services of a skilled and responsible detective address O 632, this office.

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Wanted—Canyassers and fakirs, ladies and gents, in every city and town, to sell the most useful article for hat weaters ever invented; patented; large gold medaille. Paris; sells at sight; very big profit; \$10 to \$15 a day; light work; samples 10 cents; call or write. W. V. Bleha & Co., 1512 S.,3d st., St. Louis, Mo.

CONFECTIONERY—For sale, established confec-tionery; worth \$200; if sold this week, will go for \$75, 2320 Franklin av.

HORSES 465 buys nice team of horses and mare, sound; \$30 driving horse. 1614 Wash at.

SEWERS WANTED Experienced, quick, neat sew ers on children's caps. 808 N. 4th st., room 34. PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE PARTY. To-night at 8 o'clock at Mahler's Hall, 3204 Lucas av.; six handsome silver prizes; good music and a dance from 10:30 to 12. Admission 50c, including supper. For sale at the deor.

COACHMAN—Sit. as coachman; understands the business and work; a gentleman's place; good milker; best reference. Add. O 681, this office. A-1,000 BIZ Cards 40c, notehds., blilhds., envs., \$1. Cut prices. Benton & Co., 216 N. 7th st.

LEGAL.

IN Matter of the Assignment of Western Union Building and Loan Association. No. 5.—Notice is hereby given that A. A. B. Woerheide and Rudolph F. Kilgen, assignees of Western Union Building and Loan Association, No. 5, have filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, a statement of the accounts of their trust to the October term, 1895. of said court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said court in room No. 4 on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1895, unless good cause to contrary be shown.

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Both Sides Putting Forth Every Effort

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Oct. 22.—The Republican County Central Committee met to-day in Hillsboro to make arrangements for the campaign. Hon. W. F. 1. Hadley passed through this city this morning to attend. He is feeling very sanguine of success. It is expected that the Republican State Central Committee will open headquarters in this city. The Democrats have already began an active campaign. Theo. Nelson. Secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee has opened headquarters in this city. He claims all indications point to the election of Lane by a safe majority. Many prominent speakers are at present in the district. Hon. W. J. Bryan of Nebraska speaks to-morrow in Vandalia. Silver Dick Bland of Missouri at Nokomis, A. J. Hunter at Bethalto. Gov. Stone will also make three speeches in the district. Richard Michaels of Chicago will stump the district in the German settlements. Both sides feel comident and from now until the election will see the most active campaign that this district has ever known. It is thought that the Republicans will also have some speakers of national reputation in the district all next week.

DID NOT SEE THE TRAIN. Wm. Cass of St. Louis Run Over by the Cars at Birmingham.

a gas producer at Birmingham rolling mills, was run over and killed by a Louisville and Nashville train while going to work. It was misty and he did not see the train. He was 50 years old. The remains will be shipped to St. Louis, where he has twe children.

Swinney Bank Ordered Closed. Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Oct. 22.—Bank Examiner Gordon Jones has ordered the Swinney Bank at Ashgrove, this county, closed. Its capital stock is \$20,000, and the bank was organized three years ago.

Marriage Licenses.

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Anna Gorman
John P. Davis
Samuel Hennessy213 South Twenty-eighth Vinnie E. Rowe413 South Twenty-eighth
Archibald E. Duke 11 North Twenty-third Ida B. Hills

BELLEVILLE NEWS.

The City Council met in regular session last night and repealed the ridiculous ordinance recently passed to prohibit open-air meetings and street parades. The ordinance was passed for the sole purpose of preventing the street services of the Salvation Army, but failed even in that, and some of the Aldermen demanded its repeal.

A bill for an ordinance requiring bill posters to pay a license of \$25 per annum was read the first time and referred. The Council determined to have the new West Main street bridge tested before formally accepting it. The contractors were allowed \$178 for the railing on the new bridge. Phillip D. Brown was appointed a police patroliman to take the place of George Becker, resigned.

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Four weddings are announced to occur a St. Peter's Cathedral next week. Conrac Reeb of Belleville and Miss Caroline Webe of St. Louis will be married on Tuesday Henry Yung of St. Louis and Miss Christins Stauder of Belleville, and D. Schneider and Miss Clara Fahl, both of Belleville, or Wednesday, and Eugene Neighfors and Wednesday, and Eugene Neighfors and Miss Christins Stauder of Belleville, or Thursday.

Henry Plukebaum of Milistadt, 60 years of age, was examined in the County Courty vesterday and was adjudged to be insane. He was taken to the asylum at Annna today, together with Jacob Fix, a patient who has been at the County Farm a short time. Mrs. Elizabeth Kelly of East St. Louis obtained a divorce in the Circuit Courty sesterdey from her husband James Kelly on the grounds of desertion.

The attachment case of the G. F. Pierce estate against A. C. Reuss was decided, a judgment for the estate for \$1,000 being rendered.

The late Nicholas Theobald of Millstadt, whose will was probated before Judge Rhoads yesterday, bequeathed all his property to his wife, appointing her executrix. Mrs. Charles Heinrich of Cicero, Ind., is the guest of Mrs. George Krug.

Miss Julia Case of Ferguson, Mo., who was the guest of Miss Irma Scheel, has returned home.

Peter Lyons and Miss Mamie Burns of East St. Louis were married here yesterday by Justice Medart.

The eleventh anniversary of the formation of Minerva Lodge, No. 938, K. of L. of H., will be celebrated by the members at Huff's Hall Nov. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kirkman of Princeton, Ind., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maule.

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At I o'clock Tuesday morning Mr. and Krs. Bowman, living near the Cahokia crossing of the Cairo Short Line, south of the race track, were awakened from their sleep almost suffocated with heat and smoke to discover that their home was ensured in flames. The house was a one-story frame and it was with the utmost difficulty that Mr. Bowman could get his wife and children out of the building. The family escaped in their night robes. The house was located beyond the fire limits, and togther with all its contents was totally destroyed. Loss estimated at \$1,000 with no insurance. Mr. Bowman is an employe at the Tudor Iron Works and the family is left in destitute circumstances. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

\$1.10@1.25; soft, speckled or slack-packed, 60@ 75c.
PEACHES—Slow: Michigan, 25@30c per 1-5-bu basket and \$1@1.25 per bu basket.
PEARS—Scarce, Klefer, 25@35c per 1-3-bu box, and \$2@2.50 per bbl.
GRAPES—Easier: demand fair. Concord, 17%@ 18c per 9-pound basket; Catawba, 20@21c.
CALIFORNIA FRUIT—Pranes, \$1@1.25; pears, \$1.50@2 per 40-lb crate; peaches, 90c@\$1.10 per 20-lb box; grapes, Tokay, \$2.50@2.75 per 40-lb crate; muscat, \$1 per 20-lb box.
GRANGES—Quiet. California—Late varieties, \$4.25 per box; Mexican, \$4.25@4.50; Jamaica, \$4.25 per box and \$8@5.50 per bbl.
LEMONS—Quiet. Messins and Palermo, 6@7c per box; Malaga, \$5.50; California, \$5.50@6.
BANANAS—On orders, \$1@2 per bunch.
COCOANUTS—\$32 per 1.000; \$3.50 per 100.
DRIED FRUITS—Steady. Choice fruits in demand. Apples—Evaporated rings, bright, 4@4\deltacked.

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LIVE STOCK. National Stock Yards.

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The Live Stock by Telegraph.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; shipments, 2,400; best krades steady; others weak; Texas steers, \$2,400; 305. Texas cows, \$1,300; 2,55; beef steers, \$3,400; 305. Texas cows, \$1,300; 2,55; beef steers, \$3,800; 5.15; native cows, \$1,220; 253; stockers and feeders, \$2,250; bulls, \$1,500; 3. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; shipments, 200; market weak to loc lower; bulk of asies, \$3,450; 30; beavies, \$3,200; 80; peckers, \$3,450; 50; bear steers, \$3,200; shipments, 500; market steady; lambs, \$3,52; lights, \$3,200; 55; vires, \$3,400; 3,55; lights, \$3,200; 55; vires, \$3,400; 3,55; lights, \$3,200; 55; vires, \$3,400; 3,55; lights, \$3,200; 55; vires, \$3,500; shipments, 500; market steady; lambs, \$3,60; shipments, \$2,000; head; left over, 7,000; beat hogs—Receipts, 2,000; head; left over, 7,000; beat hogs—Receipts, 2,000; head; left over, 7,000; beat hogs—Receipts, 2,200; head; heaving, \$3,500; head; heaving, \$4,500; head; hea

St. Louis Stocks and Bonds.

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Edison Illuminating bonds	74	50	75	00	
Cass Av. & Fair Grounds bonds.	99	50	54.00	5.02	
Brewery bonds	96	25	96	50	
Mississippi Valley Trust Co	77	00	77	30	
Merchants' Terminal bonds	101		1		
Lindell Railway stock	136	00	140	00	

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 22.

EXCHANGE—Quoted by A. G. Edwards & Son. New York—\$1.23 discount bid. Chicago—95c discount bid. Cincinnati—50c discount bid. Louisville—50c discount bid.

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occurred to any one. His secret was buried in two cold bosoms; his own and the gla-cier's.

Twice he had long letters from Miss Moriand, one from Chur on their journey to Italy, the other on their safe arrival at

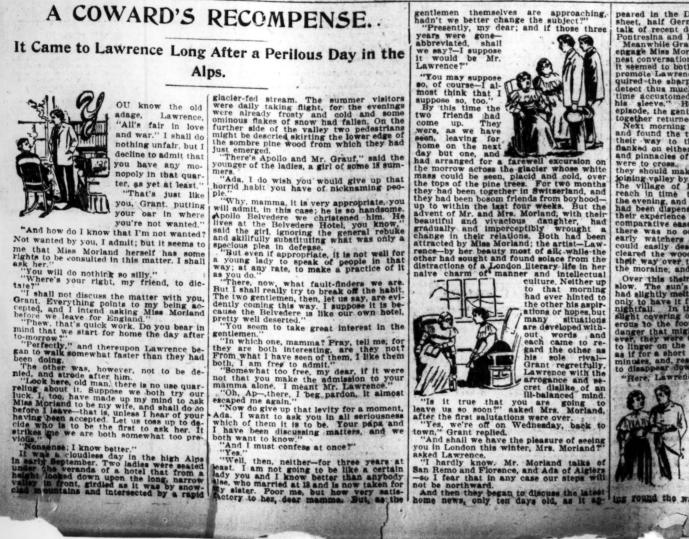




A COWARD'S RECOMPENSE.



gentlemen themselves are approaching, hadn't we better change the subject?"
"Presently, my dear; and if those three years were some abbreviated, shall we say?—I suppose it would be Mr.
Lawrence?"





peared in the Dorfil Zeitung, a four-page sheet, half German, half English, and to talk of recent departures from St. Morita, Meanwhile Grant seized the opportunity to engage Miss Moriand in a few minutes earnest conversation apart, which, pleasant as it seemed to both parties, did not appear to promote Lawrence's equaminity. But it required the abarp eyes of Mrs. Moriand to detect this much, for shie artist was at no his gleeve." However, without further episode, the gentlemen took their leave and together returned to their hotel.

Next morning rose bright and cloudless, and found the two pedestrians already on their way to the upper slopes, where, flanked on either hand by crags and cliffs, were to cross. I had been a ranged that they should make the descent into the adjoining valley by way of the Steifer Pass to the village of Fluels, which they would reach in time to catch the difference in the evening, and so return to Dorfil. A guide had been dispensed with and, indeed, with their experience in mountaineering and the had been alloyed to the moraine, and thence to the slacker.

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It was sunrise of the next morning before they reached the fatal spot. Traces of the tragedy were all too apparent on the surface of the snow, but the key cavern hid all else in its depths. A man was lowered. His face was ashy pale when he was drawn ?

At Our

CITY NEWS.

Private matters skillfully treated and edicines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine Dr E. C. Chase.

Sixth and Locust. Set of teeth, \$8. TIRED OF LIBERTY.

A Poor House Fugitive Applies to Be Sent Back.

William Apperson, 15 years old, applied to the police Monday to be sent to the City Hospital or Poor-house. He is slightly demented and subject to epilepsy.

He said his parents, who live in Decatur, Ill., drove him away from home.

It was learned later that he escaped from the Poor-house a few months ago, He was sent to the City Hospital.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY. Case of John Wesley Set for Trial on

November 12. The case of John Wesley, charged with criminal assault on Mrs. Marmion, an aged woman, at Manchester, in St. Louis Coun-ty, has been set for trial in Judge Hirzel's Court at Clayton on Nov. 12.

Wesley pleaded not guilty when arraigned

Monday. He is an old negro and is said by his friends to be demented. The manifestations of his mania seem to have been principally in the line of assaults on women, cipally in the line of assaults on women, several such offenses having been charged against him and some of them proven.

After he attacked Mrs. Marion twice in one night in her own home and was frightened away each time by people stracted by her screams, he led a chase of several days, which extended over nearly every foot of St. Louis County and was expected to conclude with a lynching, but didn't.

CHEWED HIS HAND. Henry Ahlborn's Experience With

Vicious Dog. Henry Ahlborn, 25 years old, of 3919 Illinois avenue, was attacked by a vicious dog Monday night in the rear of his residence. The brute selzed Ahlborn's hand in its mouth and lacerated it badly. He was taken to the South Side Dispensary, where his wound, which is a severe one, was dressed.

BOYS' CLOTHING—SCHOOL SUITS MADE TO RESIST

The roughest kind of wear which any BOY can give them. The Pants have double seats and double knees, the coats are thribble sewed with silk, never before equalled for strength and durability.

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ages 5 to 14, two pair pants, a D. B. Jacket and a Boston Cap for \$5.00. MILLS & AVERILL, Broadway and Pine.

STOLE A STOVE.

David Akin Arrested for Robbing Mrs. Landenberger.

David Akin was arrested Monday by De tectives Gallagher and Roche charged with breaking into the residence of Mrs. Landenberger, 1113 North Grand avenue, and stealing a stove valued at \$25.

The stove was afterwards recovered at a second-hand store, where it has been sold for \$7.

A LAY-OVER SLEEPER. New Sleeping car service via the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway. The "Katy Flyer," leav-ing Union Station, St. Louis, at 8:20 p. m., daily and Sundays too, will have a special Wagner Sleeping Car for the benefit of passengers to Sedalla and local points south thereof, at which the Flyer is not scheduled to stop. Returning, this sleeper will leave Sedalia at midnight, but will be open for the reception of passengers at nine (9)

Hotel Guests Minus Overcoats. A sneak thief, provided with a skeleton kev. "swiped" three overcoats from the rooms of guests at the Laclede yesterday. The hotel will reimburse the guests.

How Large Is St. Louis?

We have many industries that are the largest of their kind in the world, and we

also have the Missouri Safe Deposit Company, corner Sixth and Locust streets, where you can protect you securities for Five Dollars a year. Lynching Threatened.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 22—Near Done-rail, in Scott County, James Lee, colored, shot and fatally wounded St. Clair Evans, a farmer, with whom he had previously quarreled. Evans' friends threaten to take Lee from jail and lynch him.

Hesse, Tailor, 617 Pine street, gives gilt edge value for your money.

Will Keep Trinidad.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—A special to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: The British Minister in Rio Janeiro has informed the Brazilian Government that England intends to keep the island of Trini-dad.

Hesse, Tailor, 617 Pine street, gives gilt edge value for your money.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 22.—In an impromptu street duel with pistols at Uniontown, Ala., City Marshal Robert Britton was killed and V. G. Metzger, a merchant, received a dangerous wound in the head.

THE SHAKERS DO THEIR DUTY

"If a man discovers a valuable medicine," sale Horace Greeley, "It is his duty to advertise it." Yes, and at once; for suffering demands the speedlest relief possible. But let the man first be sure.

Suffering had better wait than be defuded by false
hopes. Medicine, like surgery, must often seem
cruel in order to be really kind. On this principle
the Shakers of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y., withheld their
great indigestion and dyspepsia remedy from the
public for several years. With them right-doing is
has a yearling by Constantine, which, it
is claimed, will prove a wonder. Her husstokes has no love for the thoroughbred.
She looks upon the harness horse as the
American product—one that she can drive
harself. In fact she has a great reputation
as driver and whip, Mrs. Stokes is very
handsome, and cuts quite a dash handling
the ribbons behind her favorite driving
horses. Yes, and at once; for suffering demands the speedpublic for several years. With them right-doing is Results at the Tracks.

FAIR GROUNDS—The winners: Servitor, selle of Oak Grove, Schiller, Assignee, Collins, Sulross.

In amount of their medicine by employing it in the worst cases of digestive disorders in their own vicinity for years, they did their duty—they advertised it, under the name of the Shaker Digestive Cordial. In all cases where there is distress after eating, pain in the stomach, chest and back; aversion to food with the resulting symptoms, such as headache, furred the resulting symptoms, such as headache, furred of flesh, etc., the Cordial has a most happy effect.
Being itself a digested food with power to digest, other foods, it relieved the weak and possibly inflamed stomach of the labor it is in no condition to perform, gives new strength to the body and presently restores to the digestive organs their normal vigor. Taken immediately after eating this conditions to Messars. Knox & Singerly for 18,500. cently restores to the digestive organs their normal vigor. Taken immediately after eating this remedy insures the digestion of the meal and prevents the fermentation of the food, which is the source of most of the smitchire symptoms which accompany dyspepsia. It is also as agreeable to the taste as it is potent as a medicine. To show their own confidence in it, and to hasten its universal adoption, the Shakers authorize druggists to sell trial bottles at the sumbal price of ten cents.

Almira, to Messrs. Knox & Singerly for "Pudge" Heffelinger is coaching the University of Minnesota football eleven this versity of Minnesota football eleven this season.

Joe Flint has the Wabash College football team in training at Crawfordsville, Indiany Johnnie Johnson broke the world's record for \$2,200.

Barney Schrieber captured two purses Monday with Servitor and Schiller. He at the sumbal price of ten cents.

The Western division of "Lucky" E. J.

Rrandt's

We have just received from one of our large factories

Here's Bargain for You.

2200 Pairs Ladies' Fine Dongola Shoes

In Button and Lace, Heel and Spring Heel, Narrow, Square and new Pointed Toe, Patent Leather Tip,

(SPECIAL PRICE)

THIS WEEK ONLY

BRANDT All Sizes. All Widths.

These Shoes would be Cheap at \$2.50.

WEIGHTS FOR THE HANDICAP.

What the Big Horses Will Pack on Wednesday.

O'CONNELL IN AT THE TOP.

Linda, Assignee and Figaro Are Next in Order, and May Prove Factors

so much difference to the big gelding, but the route is a trifle longer than he cares to go, and it would appear as though Schreib-

go, and it would appear as though schreiber's great 2-year-old. Dan Carillo, who is in pretty snug, would have some chance of taking the big fellow's measure.

Linda seems to have a little more weight than she can carry, with any chance of beating O'Connell, but as Assignee is treated pretty nicely on his present form, even the great O'Connell may have to go some to down him.

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It is to be hoped that O'Connell, Linda, Assignee, Dan Carillo, Addie Buchanan and Ben Eder will come together in the event.

The weights are as follows:
O'Connell, 124; Linda, 113; Assignee, 102; Figaro, 108; George Beck, 105; Crevasse, 104; Booze, 102; Sumo, 102; Sandowne, 100; Miss Young, 93; Gov. Sheehan, 93; Dockstader, 92; Don Carillo, 95; Ben Eder, 95; Pelleas, 88; Bing Binger, 60; Clcely, 95; Little Matt, 92; Elano, 95; Tasco, 92; Addie Buchanan, 90; Probasco, 90; King Elm, 90; Lady Inez, 90; Cavespring, 88; Lily of the West, 90; Campania, 88; Schiller, 85; Sumatra, 85; Kingstone, 82; Fondest, 80.

MRS STOKES HODGES

She Owns Beuzetta, Miss Rita and Other Crack Harness Horses. Mrs. W. E. D. Stokes, wife of the New York millionaire, is probably the richest woman horse owner in America. She owns the great trotting 4-year-old mare Ben-zetta, 2:05%, the 3-year-old pacer Miss Rita, 2:09%, and the pacer Angle D., 2:07. She also



Results at the Tracks.

Baldwin's stable arrived at the Fair Grounds Monday in charge of Agent W. B.

Grounds Monday in charge of Agent W. B. Senk, Jr.
Fred Foster and his friends backed Sullross from 8 to 5 down to evens, and the
old horse won handily.
The trotting stallion, Gov. Strong, won
his tenth consecutive race at Dallas (Tex.)
Monday. Gov. Strong has lost only one
heat in that many races.
After being interfered with and knocked
back three lengths, Schiller came on and
negotiated seven furlongs in 1:29 flat.
No. 6 of vol. 5 of the Form Boook is
ready for distribution. It is compiled in
a way that assures it being used as a
reference, and, as usual, is right up to date.

WHEELMEN'S GUESTS.

Busy Preparations to Welcome the National Officers of the L. A. W.

The officers of the West End Athletic in the Event,

in the Event,

in the Event,

The weights for the mile handicap for all ages to be decided at the Fair Grounds Wednesday were assigned this morning, and the acceptances must be in by 3 o'clock this afternoon.

As usual O'Connell gets top weight, 124 pounds Linda, assignee and Figaro are next in the order named. Weight does not make so much difference to the big gelding, but the route is a trifle longer than be caree to the control of the West End Athletic Club are preparing the handsome club-inous for the reception to President Willison of the League of American Wheelmen and Vice-Presidents G. A. Perkins and A. C. Morrison, which takes place Wednesday evening from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock. The reception will be open to the public as well as wheelmen.

The national officials are expected to arrive Wednesday morning and will spend the day in executive session. After the reception in the evening they will be given a banquet at the Planters' by the L. A. W. members.

On Thursday afternoon the visitors will be taken for a drive and in the evening will attend one of the theaters.

ROAD RECORDS.

Century Road Club of America Allows New Figures for Rides.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22.-The following road records have been allowed by the Century Road Club of America: C. F. Manahan, 50 miles, 3h. 14m.; 100 miles, 7h. 18m.; August Iowa State rec-ords. J. A. McElroy, five miles, 16m. 12s; Aug. 22; Iowa State record. road records have been allowed by the

J. A. McElroy, five miles, 18m. 12s; Aug. 22; Iowa State record.
G. A. Phillips, 15 miles, 17m. 35s.; Aug. 25; State and American records.
C. P Stanbach, New York to Philadelphia, 100 miles, 8h. 50m; New York to Philadelphia and return, 200 miles, 19h. 56m., Aug. 25; course records.
Meritorious ride medal awarded—F. C. Furhman, LeRoy Century course, 5h. 33m. 30s., Sept. 8; New York State, American 100-mile and course records.

IVES' CHALLENGE. chaeffer Thinks It a B

rected at Him. night said: "I want to play billiards. Some people are trying to make others believe I don't. To show that I do, I'll give anybody in the world 1,000 to 6,000 at balk line for \$10,000. Now, if anybody believes I am not in earnest, let him give me a chance to back up that proposition." NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-Frank Ives last

cHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22—When Jake Schaeffer was informed of Frank Ives' proposition to play for \$10,000 and give odds of 1,000 to 6,000, he said: "That looks like a bluff to me. He knows well that I have not got a backer that can stand for that amount. There was a time," he continued, "when I could command backing to the extent of \$20,000, but I never asked any-body to play me for that amount. I was always willing to play for from \$500 up, which I considered a fair proposition. I have beaten Ives oftener than he has beaten me, and do not understand why he should offer me odds or why I should accept any. If he is really anxious for a match or a series of matches I will play him at 14 or 18-inch balk line, cushion carroms and straight rail, for \$500 or \$1,000 a side, the winner to take all the gate receipts, games to be played in New York and Chicago."

McGrew vs. Washington University On Wednesday at 3 o'clock the Pastim Grounds will be the scene of the initiatory game between the McGrew Guards and the

washington University elevens.

The McGrews line up as follows: Left end, Hill; left tackle, Bariger; left guard, Brueggeman; center, Matthews; right guard, Corby; right tackle, Brooke; right end, O'Rellly; quarter back, Monfett; right halfback, Carr; left half-back, Menzie; fullback, Coaale, Sanord, Boogher, Flanagan, subs.

Von der Ahe's Negotiations.

Von Der Ahe has concluded the deal with
yers of Nashville to play third base for
the Browns next year, the announcement
of the negotiations of which appeared exclusively in yesterday's Post-Dispatch. Both
the St. Louis magnate and the player are
satisfied. satisfied.

Chris has several other deals on, of which the most important is his effort to secure Turner of Philadelphia. He tried hard to get Turner last season, and now it is said he will offer to trade Ely for him.

Sporting Notes.

Jimmy Barry defeated Jack Madden in four rounds at the Empire Athletic Club, Long Island, last night.

Tom Cooper and Charlie Murphy will race in the colors of the Bay District wheelmen on the coast.

Young Griffo is broke. His share of the receipts in his recent draw with "Kid" Lavigne were attached.

Pat Daly, an American fighter, defeated Arthur Lock in ten rounds in London last night.

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That Have Ever Been Put Onto St. Louis Boys.

Buy one of these Suits—buy one nywhere else at the same price and see how very much better ours is.

Boys' Knee-Pant Suits, Ages 7 to 15 Years,

In Fine Imported Cheviots and Worsteds, most elegantly made and finished, beautifully trimmed, first-class in every detail, such as we guarantee cannot b bought in any other store in this city under from \$9 to \$12, at

IN ADDITION TO THE FOREGOING WE OFFER:

Boys' All-Wool Double-Breasted Knee Pant Suits, 6 to 15 years, brown and gray mixed Cheviots, \$2.33 worth \$3 75, at......

Boys' Reefers, sallor collar, 3 to 8 years; velvet collars, 8 to 15 years, blue fur beavers, worth \$3.50 Boys' Long Pant Suits, 14 to 19 years, 31 to 36 breast measure, mixed cheviots and cassimeres, worth \$9.50 and \$10, at. 6.50



Broadway and Morgan St. ***********

THE DOCTOR'S COLUMN.

O. E. K., Syracuse.—Have a very tired, sleep; feeling all the time, and suffer with muscular rheumatism. Please advise. Take Cerebrine extract of the brain, in five-drop doses, on the tongue, twice daily; one Feb-ricide Pill, three times daily, and twice a week a dose of Natrolitible Salts.

THE ANIMAL EXTRACTS. CEREBRINE, From the Brain. MEDUI-LINE, From the Spinal Cord. CARDINE. From the Heart. TESTINE. OVARINE, THYROIDINE. NATROLITHIC SALTS, for Constipation. GASTRINE, for Dyspepsia. CA-TARRHINE, ECZEMICURE, and other speci-

COLUMBIA CHEMICAL CO., Wash., D. C. New at all Druggists. Send for Literature. Retail by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., 6th and Washington av.; wholesale by Meyer Bros. Drug Co., Clark and Broadway.

What Eckels Learned Abroad.

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Special to The Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 22.—Mr. Eckels, Controller of the Currency, resumed his duties at the Treasury Department after an absence of two months in London and Parls. He said he could discover no interest in Europe among financiers in a bimetallic conference. Everywhere the opinion prevails that no practical agreement will be effected on the coinage question until England takes the initiative.

Cheap Homeseekers 'Excursions, On Oct. 22 the Burlington Route will sell ound-trip tickets at very low rates to Wyoming, Utah, the Dakotas and Iowa. For particulars call at City Ticket Office, southwest corner Broadway and Olive

While playing on the Court-house william Palacio, 13, accidentally fell sustained a severe cut in the head.

Hesse, Tailor, 617 Pine street, gives gilt MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Oct. 22.—Andrew Jackson, colored, killed Mage Campbell his sixth victim, and escaped to the moun

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Highest Honors-World's Fair. ·DR:



A pure Grape Gream of Tartar Powder. Free YEARS THE STANDARD

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Is a good phrase to juggle with. The draper, as he used to be called, likes it, and thinks it implies especial and exclusive qualities of fit and style and elegance.

But that's because it's his business to think so. Those of us who know the Browning, King & Co. Clothing know better. We know that no one can employ better materials than we do, no one can cut and make garments in better

fashion, and if one man in a hundred is hard to fit, we'll even take the chances of suiting him. And, by the way, our Overcoats this season surpass

any past products of our factory. Browning, King & Co.,

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S DAVOL MEDICINE CO., P. O. Box 2076, San Francisco, Cal. For Sale by

ESTATE of Maria J. Heitkamp, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the estate of Maria J. Heitkamp, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the "Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the twenty-eighth day of September, 1895.

L. B. M. Brooklyn.—After meals I feel uncomfortably bloated. What can you advise?

Take a teaspoonful of Natrollthic Salts in a half tumbler of hot water, before breakfast, twice a week.

C. M. H., Detroit.—Please state a remedy for strengthening the halt.

Use Petroleine and follow directions carefully. Indiana.—Please state a remedy for one who has suffered with rheumatism for some time.

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Take a teaspoonful of Natrollthic Salts in and personal service.

Vow, at this day, comes Fred C. Exter, administrator d. b. h., c. t. a.

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, sa,—In the Probate Court for the City of St. Louis, next day of the next term of this court, to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis, on the fast Monday of St. December next, an order well be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the ment of said deceased, as will be sufficient for the sale of the whole, or so much of the ment of said deceased, as will be sufficient for the sale of the whole, or so much of the ment of said deceased, as a sufficient for the sale of the ment of said deceased, as are residents of the City of St. Louis, at least ten days before the next term of this court.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis hereunto affixed, this 30th day of September, 1895.

(Seal) JOS. A. WHERRY, Clerk.

HIRAM J. GROVER, Attorney for Executor. 4508

ESTATE of Elizabeth Weber, Deceased—Notice is said force.

HIRAM J. GROVER, Attorney for Executor. 4508

ESTATE of Elizabeth Weber, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Elizabeth Weber, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 21st day of September, 1896.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 21st day of September, 1896.

All of September 1896.

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OFFICE of the Aurora Mutual Building and Loan Association—There will be a meeting of the sains to be clerk of court room No.

OFFICE of the Aurora Mutual Building and Loan Association beld at the secretary's office, No. 717 Chestnut street, on Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1896, between the hours of nize of clock a. m. and two of clock p. m., to vote on the proposition to extend the charter of the sassociation thirty years from the 17th day of April, 1905.

ROBERT RUTLEDGE, Secretary.

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WOLF-WILSON DRUG CO, Sixth and Washington Av. ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—Pursuant to an order of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, duly entered of record on the 5th day of October, 1895, I. the undersigned, administrator de bonis non of the estate of Manning Tredway, deceased, will sell, at public sale, to the highest bidder, for

non of the estate of Manning Tredway, deceased, will sell, at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the first of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, the following destribed rote, stocks and bonds belonging to the sald estate: Note of the Francis Incandescent Gasland and the first of the francis Incandescent Gasland Co., fifteen hundred shares Harcuvar Copper Co., fifteen hundred shares Harcuvar Copper Co., fifteen hundred shares winds and Bream Hilling Co., out the hundred shares Fedro Consolidated Mining Co., twenty-six hundred shares Fedro Consolidated Mining Co., twenty-six hundred shares St. Louis and Tavapal Milling and Mining Co., seven hundred shares Wilson Car Warming and Ventiting Co., one thousand shares Samoea Mining and Milling Co., one thousand shares Samoea Mining and Milling Co., one thousand shares Samoea Mining and Milling Co., and three bonds of the Fhillips Gold Mining Co., sand three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., and three bonds come:

and Milling Co.. five hundred shares American Mining Co.. two hundred shares American Mining Co.. two hundred shares Quincy Mining Co. twelve hundred and sixty-six shares of Brown Telefone Co., and three bonds of the Phillips Gold Mining Co., agregating \$126. Sale is subject to the approval of the Probate Court.

Administrator De Bohis Non of the Estate of Manning Tredway, Deceased.

PHILLIPS, STEWART, CUNNINGHAM & EL. IOT, Attorneys, 220 North Fourth street.

ESTATE of Emil Wachter, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Emil Wachter, deceased were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, and Court, together with proper vouchers, and court in room No. 1 on Thursday, the 24th day of Cotober, 1850, unless good cause to contrary be shown.

(Seal.)

THOS. B. RODGERS, 4172

e Probate Court filted, this 30th by the Circuit Court of the City of \$t. Louis, the undersigned will sell at public sale, to the highest bleer. 4508 the Executor. 4508 eased—Notice is ensurate on the court of the Court-bouse, in the city of \$t. Louis, the undersigned will sell at public sale, to the highest bleer. 4508 the City of \$t. Louis, the undersigned will sell at public sale, to the highest bleer. 4508 the Court of the Court-bouse, and the City of \$t. Louis, when the Court-bouse, in the City of \$t. Louis, when the Court-bouse of the Researched proposed to the court of the Research of the Res

St. Louis, Oct. 14, 1805.

V. O. SAUNDERS, Secretary, St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 14, 1888.



741.—Charles Martel died. 1685.—Edict of Nantes revoked. 1740.—Sir Philip Francis born.
Today the Interior Stakes, in
Which Richard Croker has horses entered, will be run at Newmarket, England, while the American Missionary Association will hold its annual meeting at Detroit, Mich. The Chinese Massacres will doubtless be fully discussed by the delegates.

Stylish dressers are quick buyers of our new lines of Men's Fall Top Coats. We haven't a big stock, but what we have are in the light shades so popular this season.

Two Lines at \$15. Three Lines at \$20,

Two Lines Silk-Lined at \$25.

Have you seen our beautiful fancy Cheviot and Worsted Sack Suits for men's every-day business wear? IF NOT, WHY NOT? They're as good as merchant tailors produce for \$40, \$45 and \$50, and we are satisfied with \$20, \$22, \$25 and \$30-quite a saving for you.

F. W. Humphrey & Co.

SHERIFF'S SALE—by virtue and authority of an execution, issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, returnable to the October term, 1898, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of William A. Althaus, plaintiff, and against Dundee Land and Investment Company, Samuel F. Scott and Thomas A. Scott, defendants; I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the defendants above named, of in and to the following described real estate , situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

All of city blocks 4959 and 4968, containing to-

28, in city block 4966.

Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 21, 28, 29 and 30, in city block 4969.

West half of let 14, in city block 4971.

Lot 19, in city block 4968.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 237D DAY OF OCTOBER, 1893, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public anetion, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, laterest, claim, estate and property of the above-amed defendants of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and described property, to satisfy said execution and escribed property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.